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AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, January 6, 1915.

Pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of the State, the members of the House of Representatives-elect assembled in the hall of the House and were called to order by W. R. Roix, Clerk of the House of 1913.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Boothby of Augusta.

The following communication from the Secretary of State was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF MAINE.
OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE.

To the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

In compliance with Section 26, Chapter 2 of the Revised Statutes, I hereby certify that the following are the names and residences of the representatives-elect to the Seventy-seventh Legislature as appears by a report of the Governor and Council under the date of September 30, 1914:

ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY.

George Z. Bernier.....	Lewiston.
John D. Clifford, Jr.....	Lewiston.
Richard T. Leader.....	Lewiston.
George S. McCarty.....	Lewiston.
C. J. Russell.....	Lewiston.
Sanford K. Ballard.....	Auburn.
Lorenzo T. Brown.....	Auburn.
George T. Woodman.....	Auburn.
Albert W. Plummer	Lisbon.
Nathaniel P. Gould.....	Leeds.
George E. Newell	Turner.
Orlando K. Douglass	Webster.

AROOSTOOK COUNTY.

Seth T. Campbell.....	Island Falls.
Cyrus W. Benn	Hodgdon.
Leonard A. Pierce.....	Houlton.
Augustine B. Libby.....	Merrill.
Seth L. Snow.....	Mars Hill.
Leander E. Tuttle.....	Caribou.
Herbert W. Trafton.....	Fort Fairfield.
Samuel C. Greenlaw.....	Presque Isle.
W. H. Dilling.....	Easton.
August Peterson	New Sweden.
Levite V. Thibodeau.....	Van Buren.
Luc Albert	Madawaska.
Paul D. Thibodeau.....	Fort Kent.
Isaie C. Daigle.....	New Canada.
George H. McNally.....	Ashland.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Nathaniel D. Colcord.....	Portland.
James A. Connellan.....	Portland.
Edgar S. Fossett.....	Portland.
James W. Greeley.....	Portland.
Enoch O. Greenleaf.....	Portland.
Frederic E. Haskell.....	Portland.
Luther B. Roberts.....	Portland.
William B. Bragdon.....	Westbrook.
William Gilmour	Westbrook.
George Drapeau	Brunswick.
Gilbert M. Wheeler.....	Brunswick.
Henry W. Evans.....	Bridgton.
Isaac D. Harper.....	Gorham.
Frank H. Peabbles.....	Cape Elizabeth.
George P. Coffin.....	Freeport.
Arthur S. Noyes.....	Falmouth.
Joseph F. Chaplin.....	South Portland.
Lauren M. Sanborn.....	South Portland.
Joseph P. Chadbourne.....	Baldwin.
Thomas Varney.....	Windham.
Herbert V. Blake.....	New Gloucester.
Elijah K. Hodgkins.....	Harpwell.
Howard G. Gooding.....	Yarmouth.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

Charles H. Pierce.....	Farmington.
Arthur Wilkins	Jay.
George H. Brown.....	New Sharon.
Sumner J. Wyman.....	Kingfield.

HANCOCK COUNTY.

Frank S. Lord.....	Ellsworth.
Elmer J. Morrison.....	Eden.
Willis A. Ricker.....	Castine.
Cecil E. Wasgatt.....	Deer Isle.
A. B. Holt.....	Gouldsboro.
Ward W. Wescott.....	Bluehill.
Joseph W. Small.....	Mt. Desert.

KENNEBEC COUNTY.

Niles L. Perkins.....	Augusta.
S. Curtis C. Ward.....	Augusta.
Joseph Bourque, Jr.....	Waterville.
Gideon Picher	Waterville.
Edwin W. Ellis.....	Gardiner.
Frank L. Besse.....	Clinton.
Charles H. Drummond.....	Winslow.
Frank C. Meader.....	Chelsea.
George R. Mansir.....	Pittston.
Fred Towle.....	West Gardiner.
Ansel L. Brann.....	Winthrop.
John E. Carson.....	Mt. Vernon.
Albion W. Blake.....	Oakland.

KNOX COUNTY.

Asa P. St. Clair.....	Rockland.
James A. Lewis.....	North Haven.
Forrest G. Currier.....	Camden.
Joshua T. McCorrison.....	Appleton.
Sherman T. Jameson.....	Friendship.
Charles S. Watts.....	South Thomaston.

LINCOLN COUNTY.

Wm. Clarence Ford.....	Whitefield.
James E. Mulligan.....	Nobleboro.
John A. Erskine.....	Alna.
Herbert D. Maxwell.....	Boothbay Harbor.

OXFORD COUNTY.

Walter G. Morse.....	Rumford.
Leslie E. McIntire.....	Waterford.
George W. Q. Perham.....	Woodstock.
Oscar E. Turner	Hartford.
Charles E. Cobb.....	Denmark.
Burton W. Goodwin.....	Mexico.
Fred L. Edwards.....	Bethel.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY.

Curtis Durgain	Bangor.
Frank Robinson.....	Bangor.
Hugh T. Gallagher.....	Bangor.
Charles P. Conners.....	Bangor.
Leon F. Higgins	Brewer.
J. Frank Davis.....	Old Town.
Norman H. Fay.....	Dexter.
Louis I. Bussey	Dixmont.
Cyrus F. Wilson	Levant.
George F. Hill.....	Corinth.
Arthur C. Smith	Hampden.
Henry F. Brawn	Bradley.
Harry M. Hart	Holden.
George W. Thombs.....	Lincoln.
John O'Connell	Millinocket.
Thorndike A. Ranney.....	Winn.
Pitt E. Averill	Prentiss.

PISCATAQUIS COUNTY.

John H. Gerrish.....	Greenville.
William E. Wise	Guilford.
Dana H. Danforth.....	Foxcroft.
Irwin G. Ryder	Brownville.

SAGADAHOC COUNTY.

Charles A. Corliss.....	Bath.
Marshall A. Haraden	Bath.
William F. Tate.....	Topsham.
W. L. Bonney.....	Bowdoinham.

SOMERSET COUNTY.

Carlton M. Holt.....	Skowhegan.
B. H. Lawrence.....	Fairfield.
Sheldon H. Beal.....	Cornville.
Elwin N. Grant.....	St. Albans.
Mark P. Pollard.....	Solon.
Wilbur W. Greateon.....	Starks.
Clarence W. Dutton	Bingham.

WALDO COUNTY.

Adelbert Millett.....	Belfast.
James J. Clement.....	Montville.
John H. McKinley.....	Jackson.
Joseph S. Mullin.....	Lincolntonville.
Albert M. Ames.....	Stockton Springs.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.

George A. Welch.....	Machiasport.
Frank P. Washburn.....	Perry.
Frank L. Allen.....	Machias.
James J. McCurdy.....	Lubec.
H. E. Nicholas.....	Eastport.
Ashley St. Clair.....	Calais.
Howard H. Jordan	Baileyville.
Alvin N. Webb.....	Cherryfield.
William B. Tabbutt.....	Columbia.

YORK COUNTY.

Henry A. Descoteaux.....	Biddeford.
Clarence Goldthwait	Biddeford.
James J. Neilon.....	Biddeford.
Charles H. Hanson.....	Saco.
George W. Hanson.....	Sanford.

James W. Hobbs.....	South Berwick.
Homer T. Waterhouse.....	Kennebunk.
Joseph H. Littlefield.....	Wells.
Fred Chamberlin	Lebanon.
Thomas E. Mitchell.....	Newfield.
Frank Russell.....	Alfred.
Lindley L. Bradbury.....	Hollis.
Percy N. H. Lombard.....	Old Orchard.
Martin Parry Tobey.....	Eliot.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have caused the seal of the State to be hereunto affixed at Augusta this fifth day of January, nineteen hundred and fifteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and thirty-ninth.

JOSEPH E. ALEXANDER,
Secretary of State.

The certified roll of Representatives-elect was called by the Clerk, and there responded one hundred and forty-five members, which constituted a quorum.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,
Messrs. Connors of Bangor,
Sanborn of South Portland,
Pierce of Houlton,
Ricker of Castine,
McCarty of Lewiston,
Morse of Rumford,
Perkins of Augusta,

were appointed a committee to wait upon the Governor and inform him that a quorum of the members-elect of the House of Representatives had assembled in the Representatives' Hall and request his attendance to administer to them the oaths required by the Constitution to qualify them to enter upon the discharge of their official duties.

Mr. CONNERS subsequently reported that the committee had discharged the duty assigned it, and that the Governor

was pleased to say that he would forthwith attend upon the Representatives-elect for the purpose of administering to them the oaths required by the Constitution.

Thereupon the Governor, with the Council in attendance, came in and administered to the members-elect and they subscribed the oaths required by the Constitution to qualify them to discharge their official duties.

The Governor and suite then retired.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

Messrs. Connellan of Portland,
Robinson of Bangor,
Maxwell of Boothbay Harbor,
Currier of Camden,
Waterhouse of Kennebunk,
Thombs of Lincoln,
Washburn of Perry,

were appointed a committee to receive, sort and count votes for Speaker, the vote to be taken by calling the roll, each member voting by ballot as his name was called.

A message was received from the Senate by Senator Durgin of Piscataquis, notifying the House of the organization of the Senate by the election of Ira G. Hersey as President, William E. Lawry as Secretary, and L. Ernest Thornton as Assistant Secretary.

Mr. CONNELLAN for the committee subsequently reported:

Whole number of votes cast.....	149
Necessary for a choice.....	75
B. H. Lawrence had.....	5
Leon F. Higgins had.....	68
Herbert W. Trafton had.....	76

The report was accepted and Herbert W. Trafton, having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared duly elected Speaker of the House of Representatives, of the Seventy-seventh Legislature, for the years 1915-1916.

The Speaker was conducted to the Chair by Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer.

Mr. HIGGINS:

Gentlemen of the House: It gives me great pleasure to present to you the honored member of this House from Fort Fairfield whom we have just elected as our Speaker for the present session. (Applause.)

The SPEAKER:

Gentlemen of the House of Representatives: I thank you most sincerely for the distinguished honor you have just conferred upon me in choosing me to be the presiding officer of this body. I recognize the fact that this is one of the highest honors which this House can confer upon any man; I recognize also the fact that this position carries with it grave responsibilities and arduous duties. I shall ask you, gentlemen, to assist me in the performance of those duties. I shall be obliged to ask for your indulgence many times during our session here this winter. I have no doubt but I will make many mistakes, but I can only say that it will be my endeavor in presiding over the deliberations of this body to act fairly and to recognize the rights of every man here. We are come together, gentlemen, as representatives of the good old State of Maine, and while party organization is necessary in conducting the affairs of this State, and while we were elected here to this body perhaps as Democrats or as Republicans or as Progressives, now, gentlemen, having taken the solemn oath of office which we have just taken this morning, we are not Democrats, we are not Republicans, we are not Progressives, we are representatives of the good old State of Maine, and it is our duty to act and to do such things as shall most redound to the honor and glory of our State.

Gentlemen, again I thank you, and again I ask your indulgence in conducting the affairs of this office. The Chair now awaits your pleasure. (Applause.)

On motion of Mr. CLIFFORD of Lewiston,

Messrs. Clifford of Lewiston,

Drapeau of Brunswick,

Wilkins of Jay,

Hill of Corinth,

Greenlaw of Presque Isle,

Besse of Clinton,

Wise of Guilford.

were appointed a committee to receive, sort and count votes for Clerk of the House, the vote to be taken by calling the roll, each member voting by ballot as his name was called.

Mr. CLIFFORD for the committee subsequently reported:

Whole number of votes cast.....	151
Necessary for a choice.....	76
Nathaniel P. Gould had.....	5
William R. Roix had.....	69
Chandler C. Harvey had.....	77

The report was accepted, and Chandler C. Harvey, having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared duly elected Clerk of the House for the Seventy-seventh Legislature, for the years 1915-1916.

On motion of Mr. GOODWIN of Mexico,

Messrs. Goodwin of Mexico,
 Gerrish of Greenville,
 Tate of Topsham,
 Libby of Merrill Pl.,
 Fay of Dexter,
 Beal of Cornville,
 Ames of Stockton Springs,

were appointed a committee to receive, sort and count votes for Assistant Clerk of the House, the vote to be taken by calling the roll, each member voting by ballot as his name was called.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer stated that the nominee of the Republican caucus did not decide to have his name offered as a candidate for the office of Assistant Clerk of the House.

The same gentleman moved that the election of Fortunat Belleau be made unanimous.

The chairman of the committee to receive, sort and count votes for the Assistant Clerk of the House, Mr. Goodwin of Mexico, was authorized to cast one vote for Fortunat Belleau.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

That gentleman notified the Governor of the organization of the House by the election of Herbert W. Trafton as Speaker, Chandler C. Harvey as Clerk, and Fortunat Belleau as Assistant Clerk.

On motion of Mr. GALLAGHER of Bangor,

That gentleman was entrusted with a message to the Senate conveying the information of the organization of the House, as above mentioned.

Mr. GALLAGHER subsequently reported that he had delivered the message with which he had been charged.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

That gentleman conducted the Clerk and Assistant Clerk to the Governor to take and subscribe the necessary oaths to qualify them to enter upon the discharge of their official duties.

Mr. Plummer subsequently reported that he had discharged the duty assigned him, and that the Clerk and Assistant Clerk had taken and subscribed the oaths required by the Constitution to qualify them to enter upon the discharge of their official duties.

WILLIAM R. ROIX,

Clerk of House, 1913-1915.

A message was received from the Senate by Mr. Lawry, Secretary of that body, proposing a Joint Convention of the two Houses of the Legislature in the Hall of the House of Representatives, at two o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Attorney-General, Commissioner of Agriculture, and seven Executive Councilors.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The House concurred, and Mr. RICKER of Castine was charged with and conveyed a message to the Senate informing that body of the concurrence of the House in the proposition for a Joint Convention for the purpose named.

Mr. RICKER subsequently reported that he had discharged the duty assigned him.

Papers from the Senate.

Ordered, The House concurring, that the return of votes for Governor given in the several cities, towns and plantations of the State for the political years of 1915 and 1916 be referred to a Joint Select Committee of seven on the part of the Senate, with such as the House may join.

Came from the Senate read and passed, with the following committee appointed on the part of the Senate:

Messrs. Garcelon of Androscoggin,
Burleigh of Aroostook,
Moulton of Cumberland,
Herrick of Franklin,
Chatto of Hancock,
Allen of Kennebec,
Butler of Knox.

The order was read and passed in concurrence, and the following committee joined on the part of the House:

Messrs. Greenleaf of Portland,
Russell of Alfred,
Webb of Cherryfield,
Perham of Woodstock,
Woodman of Auburn,
Ricker of Castine,
Picher of Waterville.

Ordered, The House concurring, that the joint rules and orders of 1913 and 1914 be the joint rules and orders of this Legislature.

Came from the Senate read and accepted, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

Ordered, The House concurring, that a Joint Committee on Reference of Bills, Resolves, Orders and Petitions be appointed, consisting of one on the part of the Senate and two on the part of the House, with the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House, members ex-officio, whose duty it shall be to refer to the proper Committees all Bills, Resolves, Orders and Petitions offered in either House.

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the return of votes given in the several cities, towns and plantations in this State for Governor on the fourteenth of September last.

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Gubernatorial Vote, and by the House was referred to that Committee in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

Ordered, That H. M. Rogers be Messenger, Frank A. Leonard, Assistant Messenger, James A. Muldoon, Postmaster, P. H. Fitzgerald, Mail Carrier, Julius P. Potter, First Folder, F. K. Jack, Assistant Folder, Neil S. Gray, Doorkeeper, and that the Speaker appoint two Pages and a Document Clerk.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer offered an amendment to the order by substituting the following:

That Patrick Hayes be Messenger, C. B. Scribner be Assistant Messenger, James L. Bresnahan be Postmaster, Thomas Rollins be Mail Carrier, that C. H. Ashford be Doorkeeper, that Joseph H. Dixon be Folder, and Stephen Purington be Assistant Folder.

The question being on the adoption of the amendment, a viva voce vote was taken, and the amendment lost.

The question being on the adoption of the original order offered by the gentleman from Portland, Mr. FOSSETT, the order received a passage.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The House voted to take a recess until two o'clock in the afternoon.

AFTER RECESS.

The joint order on return of votes for Governor given in the several cities, towns and plantations of the State for the political years of 1915-1916 came from the Senate with a committee of seven named in that branch.

The Speaker appointed as members of the committee on the part of the House:

Messrs. Greenleaf of Portland,
Clifford of Lewiston,
Edwards of Bethel,
Higgins of Brewer,
Bonney of Bowdoinham,
St. Clair of Calais,
Lawrence of Fairfield.

Mr. McCURDY of Lubec presented the petition of Fortunat O. Michaud of Van Buren against Levite V. Thibodeau of Van Buren, holding a seat in this House, with the request that the petition be referred to the House Committee on Elections.

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,
The petition was tabled pending reference to a committee.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,
Ordered, That the Clerk be directed to invite the clergymen of Augusta, Hallowell and Gardiner to officiate as chaplains of the House during the present session.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,
Ordered, That the rules and orders of the last House of Representatives be adopted for the government of this House until otherwise ordered.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,
Ordered, That the Clerk of the House furnish a catalogue containing the names of the members alphabetically arranged, with the residence, post-office address, boarding place, occupation, politics and number of seat of each, with a diagram of the House, and that the usual number of copies be printed and distributed.

On motion of Mr. PERKINS of Augusta,
Ordered, That the Secretary of State be directed to deliver to the Clerk of the House one copy of the Holy Bible, one copy of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, one copy of the Standard Dictionary, one copy of Lippincott's Pronouncing Gazetteer, and one copy of Cushing's Manual.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Ordered, That the Clerk of the House be authorized to procure a typewriter and procure the services of a stenographer during the present session of the Legislature.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,
Ordered, That A. H. Whitman of Portland be appointed official reporter of the House for the present session with compensation at the same amount as paid at the last regular ses-

sion; and that Cecil Clay of Portland be appointed assistant reporter of the House for the present session.

On motion of Mr. GOODWIN of Mexico,

Ordered, That the Clerk of the House be directed to furnish each member and officer of the House with one copy each, of three daily papers printed in the State, such as each member and officer may select.

On motion of Mr. WASHBURN of Perry,

Ordered, That the Secretary of State be directed to furnish each member and officer of the House with postage stamps to the amount furnished the members and officers of the Seventy-sixth Legislature.

On motion of Mr. GALLAGHER of Bangor,

Ordered, That the official reporter of the House be authorized to procure the services of a typewriter operator during the present session, for the preparation and completion of the Legislative Record.

At this point the Senate came in, and a joint convention was formed for the purpose of electing a Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney General, Commissioner of Agriculture, and seven Executive Councilors, as previously this day agreed to.

IN CONVENTION

(For record of proceedings of Joint Convention see Senate Journal.)

IN HOUSE.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Adjourned until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk*.

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, January 7, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Fr. Nelligan of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Communication from the Governor containing each case of reprieve, remission of penalty, commutation or pardon granted during the years 1913 and 1914, stating the name of the convict, the crime of which he was convicted, the sentence and its date, the date of the reprieve, remission, commutation or pardon, and the conditions, if any, upon which the same was granted.

Came from the Senate read and placed on file, and by the House was read and placed on file in concurrence.

Communication from Secretary of State, transmitting the report of the votes cast at the special election September 8, 1913, in reference to the two amendments to the Constitution proposed by Chapters 264 and 354, respectively, of the resolves passed at the regular session of the Legislature in 1913.

Came from the Senate read and placed on file, and by the House, on motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden, read and placed on file in concurrence.

Report of Special Joint Committee of the Seventy-sixth Legislature on Salaries and Fees presented, and, on motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine, tabled pending reference to a committee.

The Speaker appointed as Document Clerk, Edward Austin of Augusta, and as Pages, Roger D. Sleeper of So. Berwick, and Raymond C. Frank of Westbrook.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The House took a recess until ten A. M.

AFTER RECESS.

The Speaker announced the following Monitors for the present session:

Messrs. Wilkins of Jay; 1st Section.
Jameson of Friendship; 2d Section.
Wilson of Levant; 3d Section.
Ward of Augusta; 4th Section.

Papers from the Senate.

Report of Joint Special Committee on Returns of Votes for Governor for the political years 1915 and 1916, reporting that such committee had attended to the duty assigned it, and asking leave to report that the whole number of votes cast for Governor was 141,580; William T. Haines has 58,825; Oakley C. Curtis has 62,052; Percy F. Morse has 1880; Halbert P. Gardner has 18,226; Frederick A. Shepherd has 597.

On motion of Mr. McNALLY of Ashland,

The report was accepted and placed on file in concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Ordered, The House concurring, that a committee of three on the part of the Senate with such as the House may join, be appointed to wait upon the Hon. Oakley C. Curtis and inform him that he has been duly elected Governor of the State of Maine for the current political years 1915 and 1916.

Came from the Senate read and passed, with the following committee named in that branch:

Senators Boynton of Lincoln,
Cole of York,
Colby of Somerset.

On motion of Mr. McINTIRE of Waterford,

The order was accepted in concurrence with the Senate and the following committee joined on the part of the House:

Messrs. Greenleaf of Portland,
Clifford of Lewiston,
Edwards of Bethel,

Higgins of Brewer,
Bonney of Bowdoinham,
St. Clair of Calais,
Lawrence of Fairfield.

A communication was received from the Senate by Mr. Lawry, secretary of that body, proposing a Joint Convention to be held in the hall of the House of Representatives this day forthwith, for the purpose of administering to the Hon. Oakley C. Curtis, Governor-Elect, the oaths required by the Constitution to qualify him to enter upon the discharge of his official duties, and asking the concurrence of the House.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

The House concurred, and the Clerk was charged with and conveyed a message to the Senate informing that body of the concurrence of the House in the proposition for a Joint Convention.

Subsequently the Clerk reported that he had performed the duty assigned him.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland, from the committee appointed to notify the Governor-elect of his election, reported that the committee had discharged the duty assigned it, and that the Governor-elect was pleased to say that he accepted the office to which he had been elected, and that he would meet the Joint Convention at such time as it might indicate to take and subscribe the oaths necessary to qualify him to enter upon the discharge of his official duties.

The report was accepted.

At this point the Senate came in and a Joint Convention was formed, Hon. Ira G. Hersey, President of the Senate, presiding.

IN CONVENTION.

(For record of proceedings of Joint Convention, see Senate Journal.)

IN HOUSE.

The Speaker announced the standing committees of the House as follows:

On Ways and Means.

Messrs. Perkins of Augusta,
Hodgkins of Harpswell,
Tuttle of Caribou,
Lewis of North Haven,
Goodwin of Mexico,
Wescott of Blue Hill,
Russell of Alfred.

On Leave of Absence.

Messrs. Goldthwait of Biddeford,
Allen of Machias,
Bradbury of Hollis,
Chadbourne of Baldwin,
Newell of Turner,
Wyman of Kingfield,
McNally of Ashland.

On Rules and Business of the House.

Messrs. Connellan of Portland,
Perkins of Augusta,
Connors of Bangor,

On Bills in Third Reading.

Messrs. Currier of Camden,
Maxwell of Boothbay Harbor,
Mitchell of Newfield,
Noyes of Falmouth,
Dutton of Bingham,
Brawn of Bradley,
Brann of Winthrop.

On Engrossed Bills.

Messrs. Colcord of Portland,
Connors of Bangor,
Thibodeau of Van Buren,
Watts of So. Thomaston,
Neilon of Biddeford,
Hart of Holden,
Bragdon of Westbrook.

On Elections.

Messrs. Pierce of Houlton,
McCarty of Lewiston,
Connors of Bangor,

Campbell of Island Falls,
Edwards of Bethel,
Hanson of Sanford,
Besse of Clinton.

On County Estimates.

Messrs. McCarty of Lewiston,
Dilling of Easton,
Coffin of Freeport,
Brown of New Sharon,
Morrison of Eden,
Carson of Mt. Vernon,
McCorrison of Appleton,
Mulligan of Nobleboro,
Turner of Hartford,
Bussey of Dixmont,
Wise of Guilford,
Holt of Skowhegan,
Millett of Belfast,
McCurdy of Lubec,
Goldthwait of Biddeford,

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro,

Ordered, That 2400 copies of the Governor's message be printed for the use of this House.

Papers from the Senate.

Ordered, The House concurring, that a Joint Select Committee of three on the part of the Senate, with such as the House may join, be appointed to consider the Governor's message and report a reference of its several subjects to appropriate committees.

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

The following committee was named on the part of the Senate:

Messrs. Durgin of Piscataquis,
Weld of Penobscot,
Price of Sagadahoc.

The Speaker named the following members on the part of the House:

Messrs. Conners of Bangor,
Bourque of Waterville,
Jameson of Friendship,
Benn of Hodgdon,
Hanson of Saco,
Washburn of Perry,
Libby of Merrill.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston presented the petition of Peter Harmon for a seat in this House as representative of the class towns of Montville, Knox, Burnham, Thorndike, Unity, Freedom and Troy, and, on further motion by the same gentleman, the petition was referred to the Committee on Elections.

On motion of Mr. WESCOTT of Bluehill,
The House voted to take a recess till 1:45 this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The following communication was received from the Secretary of State:

AUGUSTA, January 5, 1915.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

I have the honor to herewith transmit the return of votes given by the several cities, towns and plantations of this State on the 14th day of September last for representatives.

Your obedient servant,

J. E. ALEXANDER,
Secretary of State.

On motion of Mr. AVERILL of Prentiss,
The communication was received and placed on file.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,
Petition of Fortunat O. Michaud vs. Levite V. Thibodeau of Van Buren for a seat in the House of Representatives, as representative from the Van Buren Class, was taken from the table and referred to the House Committee on Elections.

At this point the Senate came in, and a Joint Convention was resumed for the purpose of electing a Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney-General, Commissioner of Agriculture and seven Executive Councilors.

IN CONVENTION.

(For record of the proceedings of Joint Convention, see Senate Journal.)

IN HOUSE.

Papers from the Senate.

Ordered, The House concurring, that a joint committee consisting of two members on the part of the Senate and as many as the House may join, be appointed with full authority to make a contract with the New England Telegraph and Telephone Company for telephone service for the members of the Seventy-seventh Legislature in matters connected with their official duties.

Came from the Senate read and passed, with Senators Murphy of Cumberland and Cole of York appointed as committee on the part of the Senate, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence, with the following committee joined on the part of the House:

Messrs. Gallagher of Bangor,
Haskell of Portland,
Waterhouse of Kennebunk.

On motion of Mr. DOUGLASS of Webster, adjourned until tomorrow, Friday, at nine o'clock.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk*.

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, January 8, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Hope of Augusta.

The Senate came in, and Joint Convention was resumed, for the purpose of electing a Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney-General, Commissioner of Agriculture and seven Executive Councilors, Hon. Ira G. Hersey, President of the Senate, presiding.

IN CONVENTION.

(For record of proceedings of Joint Convention see Senate Journal.)

IN HOUSE.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Farmington, adjourned to tomorrow (Saturday) at ten A. M.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk.*

AUGUSTA,
SATURDAY, January 9, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Stanley of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

The Senate came in, and the Joint Convention was resumed, for the purpose of electing a Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney-General, Commissioner of Agriculture and seven Executive Councilors, Hon. Ira G. Hersey, President of the Senate, presiding.

IN CONVENTION.

(For record of proceedings of Joint Convention see Senate Journal.)

IN HOUSE.

On motion of Mr. LIBBY of Merrill,
Adjourned to Monday, January 11, at ten o'clock A. M.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk.*

AUGUSTA,

MONDAY, January 11, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Evans of Gardiner.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

The Senate came in, and a Joint Convention was resumed for the purpose of electing a Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney-General, Commissioner of Agriculture and seven Executive Councilors.

IN CONVENTION.

(For record of proceedings of Joint Convention see Senate Journal.)

IN HOUSE.

On motion of Mr. CURRIER of Camden,
Adjourned till ten A. M. tomorrow.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk.*

AUGUSTA,
TUESDAY, January 12, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Phalen of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

The Senate came in, and the Joint Convention was resumed for the purpose of electing a Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney-General, Commissioner of Agriculture and seven Executive Councilors.

IN CONVENTION.

(For record of Joint Convention see Senate Journal.)

IN HOUSE.

A list of the Joint Standing Committees on the part of the Senate came down from that branch, and was joined on the part of the House, the completed committees being as follows:

On Agriculture.

Messrs. Conant of Waldo, Moulton of Cumberland, Bartlett of Kennebec.	—of the Senate
Messrs. McIntire of Waterford, Wilkins of Jay, Hobbs of So. Berwick, Blake of New Gloucester, Peterson of New Sweden, Averill of Prentiss, Washburn of Perry.	—of the House

On Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Messrs. Emery of York, Boynton of Lincoln, Peacock of Washington.	—of the Senate
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- Messrs. Higgins of Brewer,
Haskell of Portland,
Russell of Lewiston,
Maxwell of Boothbay Harbor,
Holt of Skowhegan,
Lord of Ellsworth,
Nicholas of Eastport. —*of the House*

On Banks and Banking.

- Messrs. Dunton of Penobscot,
Swift of Kennebec,
Moulton of Cumberland. —*of the Senate*
- Messrs. Ward of Augusta,
Morse of Rumford,
Newell of Turner,
Tate of Topsham,
Fay of Dexter,
Bradbury of Hollis,
Lombard of Old Orchard. —*of the House*

On Claims.

- Messrs. Murphy of Cumberland,
Leary of Penobscot,
Emery of York. —*of the Senate*
- Messrs. Woodman of Auburn,
Noyes of Falmouth,
Neilon of Biddeford,
Peabbles of Cape Elizabeth,
Carson of Mount Vernon,
Benn of Hodgdon,
Erskine of Alna. —*of the House*

On Commerce.

- Messrs. Scammon of Hancock,
Moulton of Cumberland,
Leary of Penobscot. —*of the Senate*
- Messrs. McCorrison of Appleton,
Bourque of Waterville,
Leader of Lewiston,
Benn of Hodgdon,
Hanson of Saco,
Thibodeau of Van Buren,
Brann of Winthrop. —*of the House*

On Counties.

Messrs.	Ames of Washington, Thurston of Oxford, Weld of Penobscot,	—of the Senate
Messrs.	Russell of Lewiston, Noyes of Falmouth, Tate of Topsham, St. Clair of Rockland, Greenlaw of Presque Isle, Ford of Whitefield, Lawrence of Fairfield.	—of the House

On Education.

Messrs.	Walker of Somerset, Murphy of Cumberland, Ames of Washington.	—of the Senate
Messrs.	Gallagher of Bangor, Woodman of Auburn, Pierce of Farmington, Gerrish of Greenville, Ricker of Castine, Perham of Woodstock, Snow of Mars Hill.	—of the House

On Federal Relations.

Messrs.	Garcelon of Androscoggin, Butler of Knox, Burleigh of Aroostook.	—of the Senate
Messrs.	Mullin of Lincolnville, Jameson of Friendship, Gould of Leeds, Ricker of Castine, Allen of Machias, Harper of Gorham, Ryder of Brownville.	—of the House

On Indian Affairs.

Messrs.	Weld of Penobscot, Murphy of Cumberland, Ames of Washington.	—of the Senate
Messrs.	Newell of Turner, Davis of Old Town, Bourque of Waterville, Washburn of Perry, Jordan of Baileyville, Clement of Montville, Albert of Madawaska.	—of the House

On Inland Fisheries and Game.

- Messrs. Allen of Kennebec,
Colby of Somerset,
Herrick of Franklin. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Goodwin of Mexico,
Wheeler of Brunswick,
Gerrish of Greenville,
Wyman of Kingfield,
McNally of Ashland,
Greateon of Starks,
Drummond of Winslow. —of the House

On Insane Hospitals.

- Messrs. Fulton of Aroostook,
Cole of York,
Garcelon of Androscoggin. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Perkins of Augusta,
Plummer of Lisbon,
Wasgatt of Deer Isle,
Durgain of Bangor,
Harper of Gorham,
Libby of Merrill,
Grant of St. Albans. —of the House

On Interior Waters.

- Messrs. Clark of York,
Hastings of Androscoggin,
Weld of Penobscot. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Davis of Old Town,
Webb of Cherryfield,
Edwards of Bethel,
Pollard of Solon,
Gilmour of Westbrook,
Wise of Guilford,
Blake of Oakland. —of the House

On Judiciary.

- Messrs. Cole of York,
Durgin of Piscataquis,
Butler of Knox. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Connors of Bangor,
Connellan of Portland,
McCarty of Lewiston,
Pierce of Houlton,
Sanborn of So. Portland,
Waterhouse of Kennebunk,
Campbell of Island Falls. —of the House

On Labor.

- Messrs. Burleigh of Aroostook,
Flaherty of Cumberland,
Swift of Kennebec. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Descoteaux of Biddeford,
Clifford of Lewiston,
Goodwin of Mexico,
Webb of Cherryfield,
Jordan of Baileyville,
O'Connell of Millinocket,
Wescott of Blue Hill. —of the House

On Legal Affairs.

- Messrs. Walker of Somerset,
Bartlett of Kennebec,
Garcelon of Androscoggin. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Greenleaf of Portland,
Clifford of Lewiston,
Perkins of Augusta,
Hill of Corinth,
Lewis of North Haven,
Thombs of Lincoln,
Hanson of Sanford. —of the House

On Library.

- Messrs. Price of Sagadahoc,
Hastings of Androscoggin,
Burleigh of Aroostook. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Hill of Corinth,
Roberts of Portland,
Gilmour of Westbrook,
Thibodeau of Fort Kent,
Bonney of Bowdoinham,
Lombard of Old Orchard,
Gould of Leeds. —of the House

On Manufactures.

- Messrs. Flaherty of Cumberland,
Hastings of Androscoggin,
Emery of York. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Neilon of Biddeford,
Tabbutt of Columbia,
Ward of Augusta,
Averill of Prentiss,
Towle of West Gardiner,
Littlefield of Wells,
Albert of Madawaska. —of the House

On Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

- Messrs. Herrick of Franklin,
Dunton of Penobscot,
Scammon of Hancock. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Millett of Belfast,
Gallagher of Bangor,
Thibodeau of Fort Kent,
Dutton of Bingham,
Bonney of Bowdoinham,
Hanson of Saco,
McKinley of Jackson. —of the House

On Military Affairs.

- Messrs. Boynton of Lincoln,
Emery of York,
Flaherty of Cumberland. —of the Senate
- Messrs. McCarty of Lewiston,
Pierce of Houlton,
Colcord of Portland,
Pierce of Farmington,
Holt of Skowhegan,
St. Clair of Calais,
Coffin of Freeport. —of the House

On Mines and Mining.

- Messrs. Butler of Knox,
Thurston of Oxford,
Jillson of Cumberland. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Brown of New Sharon,
Douglass of Webster,
Descoteaux of Biddeford,
Towle of West Gardiner,
McKinley of Jackson,
Littlefield of Wells,
Beal of Cornville. —of the House

On Pensions.

- Messrs. Leary of Penobscot,
Flaherty of Cumberland,
Burleigh of Aroostook. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Bernier of Lewiston,
Tabbutt of Columbia,
Small of Mt. Desert,
Chaplin of So. Portland,
Lawrence of Fairfield,
Chamberlin of Lebanon,
Clement of Montville. —of the House

On Public Buildings and Grounds.

- Messrs. Burleigh of Aroostook,
Clark of York,
Butler of Knox. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Currier of Camden,
Gooding of Yarmouth,
Haraden of Bath,
Chadbourne of Baldwin,
Mansir of Pittston,
Mitchell of Newfield,
Holt of Gouldsboro. —of the House

On Public Health.

- Messrs. Moulton of Cumberland,
Weld of Penobscot,
Fulton of Aroostook, —of the Senate
- Messrs. Libby of Merrill,
Picher of Waterville,
Greenleaf of Portland,
Turner of Hartford,
Russell of Alfred,
Mansir of Pittston,
Michaud of Van Buren. —of the House

On Railroads and Expresses.

- Messrs. Swift of Kennebec,
Price of Sagadahoc,
Fulton of Aroostook. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Robinson of Bangor,
Haraden of Bath,
Currier of Camden,
Corliss of Bath,
Morse of Rumford,
Ryder of Brownville,
Bussey of Dixmont. —of the House

On Salaries and Fees.

- Messrs. Boynton of Lincoln,
Conant of Waldo,
Durgin of Piscataquis. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Sanborn of So. Portland,
Drapeau of Brunswick,
Welch of Machiasport,
McIntire of Waterford,
Wilson of Levant,
Holt of Gouldsboro,
Ford of Whitefield. —of the House

On School for Feeble Minded.

- Messrs. Thurston of Oxford,
Jillson of Cumberland,
Garcelon of Androscoggin. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Blake of New Gloucester,
Ballard of Auburn,
Douglass of Webster,
Evans of Bridgton,
Varney of Windham,
Danforth of Foxcroft,
Dilling of Easton. —of the House

On Sea and Shore Fisheries.

- Messrs. Peacock of Washington,
Chatto of Hancock,
Scammon of Hancock. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Mulligan of Nobleboro,
Small of Mt. Desert,
Jameson of Friendship,
Goldthwait of Biddeford,
McCurdy of Lubec,
Hodgkins of Harpswell,
Ames of Stockton Springs. —of the House

On State Lands and Forest Preservation.

- Messrs. Colby of Somerset,
Thurston of Oxford,
Ames of Washington. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Robinson of Bangor,
Turner of Hartford,
Wyman of Kingfield,
Lawrence of Fairfield,
Daigle of New Canada,
Ranney of Winn,
Beal of Cornville. —of the House

On State Prison.

- Messrs. Chatto of Hancock,
Fulton of Aroostook,
Dunton of Penobscot. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Leader of Lewiston,
Watts of So. Thomaston,
Fossett of Portland,
Lord of Ellsworth,
Brown of New Sharon,
Ellis of Gardiner,
Tobey of Eliot. —of the House

On State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

- Messrs. Allen of Kennebec,
Clark of York,
Murphy of Cumberland. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Greeley of Portland,
Smith of Hampden,
Bernier of Lewiston,
Peabbles of Cape Elizabeth,
Tuttle of Caribou,
Morrison of Eden,
Meador of Chelsea. —of the House

On Taxation.

- Messrs. Bartlett of Kennebec,
Hastings of Androscoggin,
Swift of Kennebec. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Plummer of Lisbon,
Edwards of Bethel,
Wasgatt of Deer Isle,
Brawn of Bradley,
Gooding of Yarmouth,
Fay of Dexter,
Greenlaw of Presque Isle. —of the House

On Telegraphs and Telephones.

- Messrs. Jillson of Cumberland,
Leary of Penobscot,
Allen of Kennebec. —of the Senate
- Messrs. Roberts of Portland,
Drapeau of Brunswick,
Brown of Auburn,
Mullin of Lincolnville,
Chadbourne of Baldwin,
Hart of Holden,
Chamberlin of Lebanon. —of the House

On Temperance.

- Messrs. Boynton of Lincoln,
Thurston of Oxford,
Herrick of Franklin, —of the Senate
- Messrs. Brown of Auburn,
Fossett of Portland,
Brawn of Bradley,
St. Clair of Calais,
Bragdon of Westbrook,
Russell of Alfred,
Allen of Machias. —of the House

On Towns.

- Messrs. Durgin of Piscataquis,
Peacock of Washington,
Price of Sagadahoc. *—of the Senate*
- Messrs. Wheeler of Brunswick,
Ballard of Auburn,
Smith of Hampden,
McCorrison of Appleton,
Greeley of Portland,
Danforth of Foxcroft,
Chaplin of So. Portland. *—of the House*

On Ways and Bridges.

- Messrs. Conant of Waldo,
Burleigh of Aroostook,
Colby of Somerset. *—of the Senate*
- Messrs. Wilkins of Jay,
Pollard of Solon,
Colcord of Portland,
Durgain of Bangor,
Perham of Woodstock,
Besse of Clinton,
Cobb of Denmark. *—of the House*

The Speaker announced the appointment of Mr. Haraden of Bath as a member of the House Committee on County Estimates, Sagadahoc County having been inadvertently overlooked in the making up of this committee.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland,

The House voted to take a recess till three o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Met according to adjournment.

The Senate came in, and a Joint Convention was resumed for the purpose of electing a Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney-General, Commissioner of Agriculture and seven Executive Councilors.

IN CONVENTION.

(For record of proceedings of the Joint Convention see Senate Journal.)

IN HOUSE.

On motion of Mr. TABBUTT of Columbia,

Adjourned to meet at ten A. M. tomorrow, Wednesday.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk.*

AUGUSTA,

WEDNESDAY, January 13, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Brokenshire of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

The Senate came in, and a Joint Convention was resumed for the purpose of electing a Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney-General, Commissioner of Agriculture, and seven Executive Councilors.

IN CONVENTION.

(For record of proceedings of Joint Convention see Senate Journal.)

IN HOUSE.

A list of the Senate membership of the new Joint Standing Committee on Reference of Bills came down from that branch,

and was joined on the part of the House, the completed committee being as follows:

President of Senate, <i>ex-officio</i> ,	
Mr. Boynton of Lincoln	—of the Senate
Speaker of the House, <i>ex-officio</i> ,	
Messrs. Gallagher of Bangor,	
Higgins of Brewer.	—of the House

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Adjourned to three o'clock this afternoon.

AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, January 13, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Journal of previous session read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Report of Joint Special Committee on Contract with New England Telegraph and Telephone Company, for telephone service for members of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Came from the Senate read and accepted, and by the House was read and accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. DRUMMOND of Winslow,

Ordered, That the Maine Sportsmen's Fish and Game Association be granted the use of Representatives' Hall for the Annual Meeting of said Association on Thursday afternoon, January 21st.

Report of House Committee on Elections, in the case of Peter Harmon vs. James J. Clement for a seat in this House, was presented by Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, Chairman of that Committee, and was as follows:

The Committee on Elections, to whom was referred the petition of Peter Harmon praying that he may be admitted to the seat now held and claimed by James J. Clement from the class district composed of the towns of Montville, Knox, Burnham, Thorndike, Unity, Freedom and Troy, in the County of Waldo,

having had the matter under consideration, and after hearing the evidence in the case and the arguments of counsel, beg leave to report that the said Peter Harmon received 608 votes and that the said James J. Clement received 612 votes and that therefore the said James J. Clement received a plurality of votes for the office of Representative to the Seventh-seventh Legislature of Maine from the class towns of Montville, Knox, Burnham, Thorndike, Unity, Freedom and Troy.

(Signed) Leonard A. Pierce,
Charles P. Conners,
Fred L. Edwards,
Frank L. Besse,
George W. Hanson,
Seth T. Campbell,
George S. McCarty.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The report was accepted.

The majority report of the House Committee on Elections, in the case of Fortunat O. Michaud vs. Levite V. Thibodeau for a seat in this House, was presented by Mr. Pierce of Houlton, Chairman of that Committee, and was as follows:

The Committee on Elections to whom was referred the petition of Fortunat O. Michaud, praying that he may be admitted to the seat now held and claimed by Levite V. Thibodeau from the class district composed of the towns of Van Buren and Grand Isle and the plantations of Cyr and Hamlin, in the County of Aroostook, having had the matter under consideration, and after hearing the evidence in the case and the arguments of counsel, beg leave to report that the said Fortunat O. Michaud received 356 votes and that the said Levite V. Thibodeau received 353 votes, and that therefore the said Fortunat O. Michaud of said Van Buren was legally elected as Representative from the said class district to the Seventy-seventh Legislature of Maine and shall be seated as said Representative and from henceforth be and become the duly accredited Representative from said class district.

(Signed) Leonard A. Pierce,
Charles P. Conners,

Fred L. Edwards,
George S. McCarty,
Seth T. Campbell.

Your committee beg leave to report the annexed resolve:

Resolved, That it is the judgment of this House that Levite B. Thibodeau, the sitting member from the class district composed of the towns of Van Buren and Grand Isle and the plantations of Cyr and Hamlin, in the county of Aroostook, was not legally elected and shall not longer act as the Representative from said class district, and that Fortunat O. Michaud of said Van Buren was legally elected as Representative from the said class district to the Seventy-seventh Legislature of Maine, and shall be seated as said Representative and from henceforth be and become the duly accredited Representative from said class district.

(Signed) Leonard A. Pierce,
Charles P. Conners,
Fred L. Edwards,
Seth T. Campbell,
George S. McCarty.

The minority report of the House Committee on Elections, in the same case, was presented by Mr. Hanson of Sanford, a member of that committee, and was as follows:

The undersigned, members of the Committee on Elections, to whom is referred the petition of Fortunat O. Michaud praying that he may be admitted to the seat now held and claimed by Levite V. Thibodeau from the class district composed of the towns of Van Buren and Grand Isle and the plantations of Cyr and Hamlin in the County of Aroostook, having had the matter under consideration and after hearing the evidence in the case and arguments of counsel, beg leave to report that the said Levite V. Thibodeau received 353 votes and that the said Fortunat O. Michaud received 352 votes, and that therefore the said Levite V. Thibodeau received a plurality of votes for the office of Representative in the Seventy-seventh Legislature of Maine, from the class of towns of Van Buren and Grand Isle and the plantations of Cyr and Hamlin and is entitled to retain his seat in the House of Representatives of the

Seventy-seventh Legislature of Maine in accordance with the certificate issued to him by the Governor and Council.

(Signed) Frank L. Besse,
George W. Hanson.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved acceptance of majority report.

Discussion ensued.

The question being upon the acceptance of the majority report, Mr. PERKINS of Augusta called for the yeas and nays, and the report was accepted by a vote of 78 to 72.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Gooding	Peabbles
Bernier	Goodwin	Perkins
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Greeley	Picher
Bourque	Greenleaf	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Brawn	Haraden	Pierce (Houlton)
Brown (Auburn)	Haskell	Plummer
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Hill	Pollard
Campbell	Hobbs	Roberts
Chadbourne	Hodgkins	Robinson
Clifford	Holt (Skowhegan)	Russell (Lewiston)
Colcord	Jameson	Small
Connellan	Leader	Smith
Conners	Lewis	Tabbutt
Corliss	Libby	Tate
Currier	Lord	Trafton
Davis	Maxwell	Turner
Descoteaux	McCarty	Ward
Douglass	McCorrison	Wasgatt
Drapeau	McCurdy	Watts
Durgain	McIntire	Webb
Edwards	Millett	Welch
Fossett	Mulligan	Wheeler
Gallagher	Mullin	Wilkins
Gerrish	Neilon	Wilson
Gilmour	Newell	Woodman
Goldthwait	Noyes	Wyman—78

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Ellis	Morrison
Allen	Erskine	Morse
Ames	Evans	Nicholas
Averill	Fay	O'Connell
Beal	Ford	Perham
Benn	Gould	Peterson
Besse	Grant	Ranney
Blake (Oakland)	Greaton	Ricker
Bonney	Greenlaw	Russell (Alfred)
Bradbury	Hanson (Saco)	Ryder
Bragdon	Hanson (Sanford)	St. Clair (Calais)
Brann	Harper	St. Clair (Rockland)
Bussey	Hart	Sanborn
Carson	Higgins	Snow
Chaplin	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Thibodeau (Ft. K't)
Chamberlin	Jordan	Thombs
Clement	Lawrence	Tobey
Cobb	Littlefield	Towle
Coffin	Lombard	Tuttle
Daigle	Mansir	Varney
Danforth	McKinley	Washburn
Dilling	McNally	Waterhouse
Drummond	Meador	Wescott
Dutton	Mitchell	Wise—72

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The resolve accompanying the majority report in this case, which resolve would unseat Mr. Thibodeau of Van Buren and seat Fortunat O. Michaud of Van Buren in his place, was passed by a viva voce vote.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Speaker appointed a committee of one to conduct Fortunat O. Michaud, Representative-elect from Van Buren, to the Governor to receive the oath prescribed by the Constitution to enable him to enter upon the discharge of his official duties.

The Speaker named Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon as this committee.

Mr. PLUMMER subsequently **reported** that he had per-

formed the duty assigned him in this connection, and Fortunat O. Michaud took his seat as a member of this House from the Van Buren class.

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,

The report of the Special Committee on Salaries and Fees of the various Officers of the State, which had been previously tabled by that gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of the same gentleman, was again tabled, this time for the purpose of printing pending reference to a committee.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

It was voted that the number of copies of this report which should be printed should be 1000.

On motion of Mr. McNALLY of Ashland,

Adjourned to 9.45 A. M., Thursday.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk.*

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, January 14, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mrs. Swift of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Ordered, The House concurring, that the Joint Rules be amended by adding in the first paragraph of Section 1 the words, "On Salaries and Fees," and "On Reference of Bills," in the list of committees; rearranging the list of committees so that they will be in accordance with their alphabetical order; inserting after the word "committees" in the last paragraph of Section 1 the words, "Except the Committee on Reference of Bills," and adding at the end of Section 1, the sentence "The Committee on Reference of Bills shall consist of one on the part of the Senate and two on the part of the House with the

President of the Senate and Speaker of the House, 'members ex-officio,' so that said Section 1 as amended will read as follows:

1. The following Joint Standing Committees shall be appointed at the commencement of the session, viz:

- On Agriculture.
- On Appropriations and Financial Affairs.
- On Banks and Banking.
- On Claims.
- On Commerce.
- On Counties.
- On Education.
- On Federal Relations.
- On Indian Affairs.
- On Inland Fisheries and Game.
- On Insane Hospitals.
- On Interior Waters.
- On Judiciary.
- On Labor.
- On Legal Affairs.
- On Library.
- On Manufactures.
- On Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.
- On Military Affairs.
- On Mines and Mining.
- On Pensions.
- On Public Buildings and Grounds.
- On Public Health.
- On Railroads and Expresses.
- On Reference of Bills.
- On Salaries and Fees.
- On School for Feeble Minded.
- On Sea and Shore Fisheries.
- On State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.
- On State Lands and Forest Preservation.
- On State Prison.
- On Taxation.
- On Telegraphs and Telephones.

On Temperance.

On Towns.

On Ways and Bridges.

And each of said Committees, except the Committee on Reference of Bills, shall consist of three on the part of the Senate, and seven on the part of the House, with leave to report by bill or otherwise. The Committee on Reference of Bills shall consist of one on the part of the Senate and two on the part of the House, with the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House, members ex-officio.

Ordered, The House concurring, that Section 11 of the Joint Rules shall be amended by striking out the whole of the same and substituting therefor the following:

11. It shall be the duty of the Committee on Reference of Bills to recommend the printing of documents before reference to committees, in their discretion, suggesting the number of copies to be struck off. Whenever a document shall be printed under the Joint Rules governing the procedure following a favorable committee report, the number of copies shall be five hundred, unless otherwise ordered. Sufficient copies shall be delivered to the Messengers of the two Houses for the members and officers thereof and the balance shall be delivered to the Document Clerk, who shall reserve one hundred copies for the Departments and for binding, twenty copies for the committee having the same under consideration, and shall be responsible for the equitable distribution of the remainder.

Ordered, The House concurring, that the Senate and House Registers and the List of Committees and Joint Rules be combined under the direction of the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House, and that 1500 copies of the pamphlet be printed for the use of the Legislature.

These several orders came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House were read and passed in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of C. B. Scribner,

Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act Relating to Driving Automobiles in Camden and Lincolnton,"

Was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to Provide for the Convenience of Travellers upon Electric Roads,"

Was referred to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

The last three papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HARADEN of Bath,

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that the Document Clerk prepare an alphabetical index of the Senate and House documents at the close of each week and that three hundred copies of each revision be printed for the use of the members of the Legislature and the several heads of State departments.

This order was sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. CURRIER of Camden,

Ordered, That the Secretary of State be directed to furnish each member and officer of the House with a tube of paste.

On motion of Mr. GALLAGHER of Bangor,

Ordered, That Section forty-six of the House rules be amended by inserting the word "and" after the word "then" in line six; striking out after the word "same" in line seven the words "together with the name of the committee to which the person presenting them desires the same to be referred;" and striking out in line sixteen the word "five" and substituting therefor the word "four," so that said paragraph as amended shall read as follows:

"46. All petitions, memorials and other papers addressed to the House, and all bills and resolves to be introduced in the House, shall be endorsed with the name of the person presenting them and with the subject matter of the same and shall be placed by the members presenting them in a box placed for that purpose in front of the Clerk's desk. All such petitions, memorials, papers, bills and resolves, which are deposited in said box before four o'clock in the afternoon of each day shall be re-

moved therefrom by the Clerk, and shall be introduced and received in the House on the following day, at which time they shall be presented to the House by the Speaker or such other person as the Speaker may request, and referred to the proper committees, unless the House shall otherwise order."

At this point the Senate came in, and the Joint Convention was resumed for the purpose of electing a Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney-General, Commissioner of Agriculture, and seven Executive Councilors.

IN CONVENTION.

(For record of proceedings of Joint Convention see Senate Journal.)

IN HOUSE.

Paper from the Senate.

Ordered, The House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, they adjourn to meet at 10.30 A. M., Tuesday, January 19.

Came from the Senate read and passed and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,
Adjourned.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk*.

AUGUSTA,
TUESDAY, January 19, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Reverend Mr. Burgess of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the report of the Commissioner on the Revision and Consolidation of the Public Laws of the State of Maine, under resolve of April 4, 1913.

Communication from the State Auditor's Office transmitting, as required by Section 9, Chapter 147 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 145 of the Public Laws of 1911, the estimates in detail of the expenditures of the various Departments, Boards, Commissions, Institutions of the State Government, for the years 1915 and 1916, showing the demands to be made upon the incoming Legislature as reported to him by the heads of these various departments.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the Second Annual Report of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, covering the year ending November 1, 1914.

The three communications above were referred to the Committee on Reference of Bills, in concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Resolve in favor of preserving the life of the fish in the several fish hatcheries and for the temporary operation of the hatcheries and feeding stations for fish in this State and for the protection of fish, game and birds, with statement of facts.

Was referred by the House to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, in concurrence with Senate action.

Bill "An Act to regulate the practice of the system, method or science of healing known as Osteopathy, creating a board of examination and regulation for those desiring to practice the same, and providing penalties for violation of this act,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Dead River Log Driving Company, as amended by Chapter 233 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maine providing for the Election on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, Biennially, of Governors, Senators, Representatives, and Other Officers now Required to be Elected on the Second Monday of September Biennially,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act for the Relief of the Blind Residents of Maine,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Pensions.

Resolve appropriating money to assist the town of Whitefield in building a bridge across the Sheepscot River at North Whitefield,

Was referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Resolve in favor of repair of bridges in the town of Dresden,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Ordered, The House concurring, that the members and officers of the Legislature be furnished with express or parcel post transportation for all packages and department reports, in a sum not exceeding \$5.00 for each member and officer thereof, and that such transportation be furnished and expended under the direction of the State Library Department. Any unexpended balance at the close of the year 1915 shall be available for use in 1916,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Temporary Home for Women and Children, Portland;

Resolve in favor of S. R. Purinton;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in aid of navigation on Moosehead Lake,

Was referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Petition of A. L. Young and 13 others for repeal of law prohibiting automobiles on turnpike roads in Camden and Lincolnville;

Petition of J. H. Montgomery and 16 others, for same;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to Extend the Charter of the Monson Water Company,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Petition of E. R. Michaud of Frenchville and 14 others for an act for the prompt payment of poll taxes,

Was referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Petition of R. A. Daigle and 56 others for sum for international bridge across St. John River opposite Edmundston, N. B., with statement of facts,

Was referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Ordered, That the official reporter of the House be and hereby is authorized to procure additional assistance in the preparation and completion of the Legislative Record at an expense not exceeding the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Ordered, That all Acts and Resolves appropriating moneys shall carry "Statement of Facts."

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that the time for the reception of petitions and bills for private and special legislation be limited to Wednesday, February 10, 1915, and that all such petitions and bills presented after that date be referred to the

next Legislature, and that the Clerk of the House cause copies of this order to be published in all daily papers in this State until February 1, 1915.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,
The above order was read and passed.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,
Ordered, The Senate concurring, that no bill or resolve carrying an appropriation of money shall be finally passed prior to the first day of March, 1915.

The above papers were sent to the Senate.

Papers from the Senate.

Ordered, That, the House concurring, a Joint Special Committee consisting of three on the part of the Senate and seven on the part of the House be appointed, to whom shall be referred all Workmen's Compensation Acts and Bills already presented or that may be presented during the present session of this Legislature,

Came from the Senate read and passed, with Messrs. Boynton of Lincoln, Burleigh of Aroostook, and Cole of York named on the part of the Senate, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence, with Messrs. Clifford of Lewiston, Sanborn of South Portland, Descoteaux of Biddeford, Higgins of Brewer, Goodwin of Mexico, Conners of Bangor, and Jordan of Baileyville joined on the part of the House.

Ordered, The House concurring, that a Joint Select Committee, to be designated Committee on the Revision of the Statutes, be appointed, consisting of three on the part of the Senate and seven on the part of the House,

Came from the Senate read and passed, with Messrs. Durgin of Piscataquis, Butler of Knox, and Cole of York named on the part of the Senate, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence, the Speaker deferring the naming of members on the part of the House.

Bill "An Act relative to compensation to employees for personal injuries received in the course of their employment and to the prevention of such injuries;"

Bill "An Act relative to compensation to employees for personal injuries received in the course of their employment and to the prevention of such injuries;"

Were reported by Mr. Boynton of Lincoln, in the Senate, with recommendation to refer said bills to the newly formed Joint Special Committee on Workmen's Compensation Act, which report was accepted in the Senate, and by the House was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro,
Adjourned.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk.*

AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, January 20, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Gibson of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Hayes Young Women's Home of Lewiston for assistance in carrying on its work;

Resolve in favor of the Joint Special Committee on Salaries and Fees of the Seventy-sixth Legislature;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of

the Year 1913, entitled 'An Act to provide for nomination of candidates of political parties by Primary Elections,' and amendments thereto,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Petition of John H. Smart and 38 others for an act to compel Creamery Companies, etc., to make payments on certain dates,

Was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of Maine School for the Deaf;

Resolve in favor of the Central Maine Association for the relief and control of tuberculosis, for maintenance;

Resolve in favor of the Central Maine Association for the relief and control of tuberculosis, for payment of current indebtedness;

Resolve in favor of the Central Maine Association for the relief and control of tuberculosis, for additional construction and maintenance thereof;

Resolve in favor of Children's Heart Work Society of Maine, located in Portland;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to create a Peace Centenary Celebration Commission,"

Was referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.'

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Big Indian Pond in St. Albans, with petition of W. H. Watson and 13 others, residents of St. Albans and vicinity, for same;

Petition of the Lake Kezar Fish and Game Association, relating to changes in the laws applying to fishing in Lake Kezar

and its tributaries, in Lovell, Stoneham and Stow, in Oxford County;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Resolve in favor of Bangor State Hospital;

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Were referred to the Committee on Insane Hospitals.

Bill "An Act to enlarge the purposes and powers of the Cleveland Concrete Building Block Company;"

Bill "An Act to establish Superior Court for the County of Penobscot;"

Bill "An Act relating to insolvent estates, and amending Section 5, Chapter 68, of Revised Statutes;"

Bill "An Act conferring jurisdiction to grant judgments declaring citizenship, residence and domicile;"

Resolve, proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving political rights to women upon equal terms with men;"

Petition of S. G. Ritterbush and 30 others relative to driving automobiles in Camden and Lincolnville;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors,"

Was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act relating to the observance of the Lord's Day,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the purchase of one hundred copies of the History of Buckfield,

Was referred to the Committee on Library.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Eastern Maine Railroad,"

Was referred to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Northport Village Corporation,"

Was referred to the Committee on Towns.

Resolve in favor of the construction of road in the town of Moscow;

Resolve favoring an appropriation for widening the turnpike road in Camden and Lincolnville;

Resolve in favor of repair of highway in Caratunk Plantation;

Petition of Albert B. Clark and 23 others of Caratunk for money to aid Caratunk in improving Pleasant Pond Road;

Resolve in favor of the town of Steuben;

Resolve in favor of repair of the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset;

Petition of J. H. Montgomery and 16 others relating to widening turnpike in Camden and Lincolnville;

Petition of W. A. Calderwood and 14 others relating to widening turnpike in Camden and Lincolnville;

Petition of S. G. Ritterbush and 29 others relative to widening turnpike in Camden and Lincolnville;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

The Speaker named as the House members of the Joint Select Committee on the Revision of the Statutes—

Messrs. McCarty of Lewiston,

Thombs of Lincoln,

Greenleaf of Portland,

Conners of Bangor,

St. Clair of Calais,
Pierce of Houlton,
Clifford of Lewiston.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, on official bond of Treasurer of State for the fiscal years of 1915 and 1916, that same be approved by the Legislature and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State,

Came from the Senate read and accepted, and by the House was read and accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. BESSE of Clinton,
Adjourned to ten A. M. tomorrow, Thursday.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk.*

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, January 21, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingston of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the following documents:

The Annual Report of the University of Maine for the year ending June 30, 1914; the Sixth Annual Report of the Maine School for Feeble Minded for the year ending September 30, 1914; the Seventeenth Report of the State Board of Health for the two years ending December 31, 1913; the Annual Re-

port of the Adjutant General for the year ending December 31, 1913; the Second Annual Report of the State Board of Charities and Corrections for the year ending November 1, 1914; and the Forty-sixth Annual Report of the Insurance Commissioner for the year ending December 31, 1913.

The communication was read and ordered placed on file in concurrence.

The several documents were referred in concurrence as follows:

The Annual Report of the University of Maine, to the Committee on Education; the Sixth Annual Report of the Maine School for Feeble Minded, to the Committee on the School for Feeble Minded; the Seventeenth Report of the State Board of Health, to the Committee on Public Health; the Annual Report of the Adjutant General, to the Committee on Military Affairs; the Second Annual Report of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs; and the Forty-sixth Annual Report of the Insurance Commissioner, to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Resolve in favor of Mrs. Blanche Reynolds and Edward J. McWiggin of Lewiston,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter Six of the Revised Statutes, relating to regulation and conduct of Elections,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act construing Chapter 93, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the retirement of veterans of the Civil War in the service of the State;"

Resolve in favor of Ellison Gilbert;

Resolve in favor of Thomas Clark;

Were referred to the Committee on Pensions, in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 4 of the Private and Special Laws of the year 1913, relating to the taking of smelts in the waters of Egypt Bay, Franklin Bay, Taunton Bay and River,

and their tributaries, in the towns of Hancock, Franklin and Sullivan, in the County of Hancock;”

Petition of E. E. Scammon and 99 others for the repeal of Chapter 4, P. & S. Laws, 1913, relating to taking of smelts in the waters of Egypt Bay, Franklin Bay, Taunton Bay and River, and their tributaries;”

Petition of E. W. Richardson and 47 others for same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Petition of the Maine Central Railroad Company for reduction of taxes,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Taxation.

Resolve in favor of the town of Canton to purchase its toll bridge,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Ordered, The House concurring, that all committees are hereby directed to report to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs all appropriations of money recommended by them, or any acts or resolves recommended by them which amend existing statutes or resolves requiring an appropriation of money. The Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs is hereby directed to make record of said reports and forthwith submit the same to the Legislature without changes therein. No act or resolve involving an appropriation of money or amending a statute or resolve involving an appropriation of money shall be engrossed without having endorsed thereon, in addition to the usual endorsements of the officers of the Senate and the House, the following, viz: “Examined and recorded by the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs,Chairman,”

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Ralph R. Baker;

Petition of J. G. Hatch, P. M., of Newcastle, and 11 others in favor of appropriation for the W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children at Gardiner;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the town of Perry for expenses of sickness and death of George R. Cook, an alien and State pauper,

Was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 177 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Common School Fund and its distribution;"

Resolve in favor of North Yarmouth Academy;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Resolve making appropriation for Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians for the years 1915-1916, with statement of facts,

Was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Bill "An Act to prohibit fishing in the tributaries to Lobster Lake and its outlet, in Piscataquis County;"

Petition of Paul J. Bachelder and 12 others, in favor of closing to all fishing the tributaries to Lobster Lake and its outlet, in Piscataquis County;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to prevent the pollution of the water of Wilson Lake,"

Was referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act to incorporate Kennebunk Water District;"

Bill "An Act to Amend Chapter 359 of the Private and Special Laws of the State of Maine for the year 1897, relating to paupers and minors;"

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to create a Board of Examination and Registration of Nurses,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Bryant Libby;

Resolve in favor of John S. Gaddis;

Were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to provide for the care and treatment of tubercular patients,"

Was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln County Street Railway,"

Was referred to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Bill "An Act to repeal the office of Sea and Shore Fish Commissioner and his wardens,

Was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey whatever interest the State has in and to a certain lot or parcel of land situated in Bridgton in the County of Cumberland,

Was referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Bill "An Act amending Section 2 of Chapter 143 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the age at which boys may be committed to the State School for Boys,"

Was referred to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Bill "An Act to exempt neat stock under three years of age from taxation;"

Bill "An Act to exempt live-stock from taxation;"

Were referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 166 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887, relating to Fort Fairfield Village Corporation;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the town of Chapman in Aroostook County;"

Petition of Philip Adams and 14 others for the incorporation of the town of Chapman;

Petition of Everett L. Grendell and 23 others for same;
Were referred to the Committee on Towns.

Resolve in favor of Ernest F. Merror of Hyde Park, Mass.;

Resolve in favor of Gardiner and Randolph Bridge between
Gardiner and Randolph;

Resolve in favor of bridge across Macwahoc Stream in Mac-
wahoc Plantation;

Resolve in favor of the Plantation of New Canada;

Resolve for rebuilding a section of Marsh Hill, in the town
of Stockton Springs;

Resolve in favor of the town of Alna;
Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

Ordered, That the Legal Affairs Committee be granted the
use of Representatives' Hall on Wednesday afternoon, Feb-
ruary 10.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Ordered, That the Special Joint Committee on Workmen's
Compensation Bills be given the use of Representatives' Hall,
Wednesday, February 3, 1915, at two o'clock P. M., for Public
Hearing.

On motion of Mr. PEABBLES of Cape Elizabeth,
Adjourned.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk*.

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, January 22, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Reverend Mr. Dow of Gardiner.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Knox County Hospital, for construction, equipment, and maintenance, accompanied by a statement of facts,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the town of Lubec,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act to incorporate Mopang Dam and Improvement Company;,"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Englishmen's River Dyke Company;,"

Petition to incorporate the Englishmen's River Dyke Company;,"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Salisbury Cove Water Company;,"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Ordered, The House concurring, that when the Senate and the House adjourn they adjourn to meet Tuesday, January 26, at 10 A. M.,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House

was read and passed in concurrence. This was received out of order.

Resolve in favor of L. Prescott Currier,
Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to provide for the classification and compensation of clerical employees in State and County offices;"

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of County Commissioners;"

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of Clerks of Judicial Courts;"

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of County Treasurers;"

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of County Attorneys;"

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of the Judges of Probate;"

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of Registers of Probate;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Bill "An Act to exempt neat cattle, sheep and swine from taxation,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Taxation.

Bill "An Act to provide for the care and maintenance of Mt. Desert bridge, in the town of Trenton, in the County of Hancock,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that no bill or resolve carrying an appropriation of money shall be finally passed prior to the first day of March, 1915,

Came from the Senate indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence with the action of the House.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The order was tabled.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the First Annual Report of the State Highway Commission of Maine from July 12, 1913, to December 31, 1913,

Was referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges in concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Reference of Bills, on the estimated expenditures and income, report of the State Auditor, reporting that same be referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs;

Report of the Committee on Reference of Bills, on the Second Annual Report of the State Board of Charities and Corrections; reporting that same be referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Report of the Committee on Reference of Bills, on report of the Commissioner on Revision and Consolidation of the Public Laws, reporting that same be referred to the Committee on Revision of the Statutes,

Was read and accepted in concurrence.

Report of Joint Standing Committee on Governor's Message, reporting as follows:

That so much as relates to Financial Matters be referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

That so much as relates to Taxation and State Expenditures be referred to the Committee on Taxation.

That so much as relates to Highways be referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

That so much as relates to Labor be referred to the Committee on Labor.

That so much as relates to Temperance be referred to the Committee on Temperance.

That so much as relates to our Water Powers and their development for the use of the State of Maine be referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

That so much as relates to Wild Lands be referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

That so much as relates to the Workmen's Compensation Law be referred to the Special Joint Select Committee of both branches of the Legislature appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House.

That so much as relates to Agriculture and Manufactures be referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

That so much as relates to a Reformatory for Women be referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

That so much as relates to a Revision of the Constitution be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

That so much as relates to Publicity of Plans of Philanthropy be referred to the Committee on Public Health.

That so much as relates to the Ballot Reform be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The above report of the Joint Standing Committee on Governor's Message was accepted in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to provide for conducting scientific investigations bearing upon the Agriculture of Aroostook County;"

Resolve for the completion of the purchase of the farm and the erection of buildings thereon of the farm purchased under the provisions of Chapter 190 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, for the purpose of scientific investigations in Agriculture in Aroostook County;"

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Were tabled for printing pending reference to a Committee.

Resolve in favor of the Healey Asylum of Lewiston;

Resolve in favor of the Presque Isle General Hospital, for maintenance and nurses' home;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the city of Old Town;

Resolve in favor of Lizzie Bean, with accompanying statement of facts;

Were referred to the Committee on Claims.

Resolve to provide for a celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the State of Maine, and the three hundredth anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims,

Was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Petition of A. D. Merrill and 52 others, residents of Fryeburg and vicinity, asking for a law to further restrict fishing in Ward's Brook and Ward's Pond, in Oxford County;

Petition of E. E. Hastings and 12 others, residents of Oxford County, asking for law to further restrict the taking of muskrats in Lower Kezar Pond, Kezar Meadows, and East and West Bogs, in Oxford County;

Petition of E. E. Hastings and 28 others, residents of Oxford County, asking for a law to further restrict fishing in Lower Kezar Pond, Oxford and Cumberland Counties;

Petition of J. O. Engley and 16 others relating to licensing non-resident fishermen;

Petition of W. P. McCobb and 12 others relating to licensing non-resident fishermen;

Petition of A. F. Beneroge and 33 others relating to licensing non-resident fishermen;

Petition of H. S. Baker and nine others relating to licensing non-resident fishermen;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Resolve for the purchase of Maine State Year Books for the years 1915-16,

Was referred to the Committee on Library.

Resolve in favor of Fort William Henry at Pemaquid in the town of Bristol,

Was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Sibae S. Andrews for increase of pension,

Was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to increase the salary of the Recorder of the Houlton Municipal Court,"

Was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Resolve in favor of Herbert W. Stevens,

Was referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 356 of the Private and Special Laws of 1883, relating to construction of bridge over tide waters between Orr's Island and Bailey's Island;"

Resolve in favor of the Plantation of Wallagrass;

Resolve in favor of the town of Cushing for the improvement of the "back road," so called;

Petition of Frank W. Price and 94 others to authorize the construction of a suitable bridge across the Penobscot River between the city of Old Town and the town of Milford at Sunkhaze Rips;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Ordered, That the Committee on Judiciary have the use of Representatives' Hall, Thursday, February 11, 1915, at two P. M., for a public hearing on the "Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving political rights to women upon equal terms with men."

On motion of Mr. HARADEN of Bath,

Adjourned to meet Tuesday, January 26, at ten o'clock A. M.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk*.

AUGUSTA,
TUESDAY, January 26, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Wright of Gardiner.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to appropriate moneys for the payment of salaries fixed by law for the year 1915;"

Resolve providing for co-operative work with the United States Geological Survey;

Resolve in favor of Claude Willis Townsend, Jr., assistant folder for the Senate of the Seventy-sixth Legislature, for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of Registers of Deeds;"

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of Sheriffs;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Resolve in favor of a bridge across the easterly part of the west channel of Sebec River, in the town of Milo, County of Piscataquis;

Resolve in favor of building a State road from Jackman in Somerset County to Rockwood on Moosehead Lake;

Resolve appropriating money to complete the replanking of the Wiscasset bridge;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Ordered, The House concurring, that the Committee on Salaries and Fees be and hereby are authorized to employ an attorney to formulate bills to carry into effect the recommendations of the Committee on Salaries and Fees of the Seventy-sixth Legislature, at an expense not exceeding three hundred dollars,

Came from the Senate read and passed and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of the Girls' Orphanage of Lewiston;

Resolve in favor of the People's Ferry Company for maintenance;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Petition of Philip F. Decormier and 34 others from the town of Standish, relating to the taking of black bass in Sebago Lake;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in a portion of Presque Isle Stream and certain tributaries to said stream, in the County of Aroostook;

Petitions of R. T. Snow, W. C. McLeod, E. M. Fulton, Linwood L. Taylor, J. H. Farley, and A. O. Nutter, and 206 others, residents of Aroostook County, asking that Presque Isle Stream and its tributaries, in Aroostook County, be opened to fishing under the general law;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Lisbon to supply gas and electricity,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act increasing the amount of exemption from taxation on musical instruments,"

Was referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Resolve in favor of improving a section of the old "Military Road," in the town of Hodgdon;

Resolve in favor of Machiasport and East Machias Bridge;
Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

On motion of Mr. DESCOTEAUX of Biddeford,

Ordered, That five hundred extra copies of House Bill No. 2, entitled "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors," be printed.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Bill "An Act to provide for conducting scientific investigations bearing upon the agriculture of Aroostook County;"

Resolve for the completion of the purchase of the farm and the erection of buildings thereon of the farm purchased under the provisions of Chapter 190 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, for the purpose of scientific investigations in agriculture in Aroostook County, with statement of facts;

Which were tabled in the House January 22 for printing pending reference to a committee,

Were taken from the table, and, on further motion of the same gentleman, were referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,

The report of Special Joint Committee of the Seventy-sixth Legislature on Salaries and Fees,

Which was tabled in the House January 13 for printing pending reference to a committee,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of the same gentleman, was referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Salaries and Fees.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. NEWELL of Turner,

Adjourned to meet at ten o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Wednesday, January 27.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk*.

AUGUSTA,

WEDNESDAY, January 27, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by the Reverend Mr. Mosher of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Northern Maine General Hospital;

Resolve in favor of the Hill Crest Hospital at Auburn, Maine;

Resolve in favor of St. Mary's Hospital, Lewiston, Maine;
Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 93 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 169, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the registration of Chattel Mortgages,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act relative to the use of Cinematographs using only cellulose acetate films,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing highway in town of Otisfield,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Ordered, The House concurring, that all Legislative Committees cause notices of their hearings to be printed in such papers as the Committees designate, but restricting the publication of notices for hearings on matters relating solely to a particular section to the newspapers circulated in that section;

Ordered, The House concurring, that all "over time" work

in the printing office and bindery, necessary to advance the business of the Legislature, be authorized in writing by the President of the Senate or the Speaker of the House, and that the State Auditor certify for payment only such bills for "over time" in printing and binding as are accompanied by such written authorization or certified copies thereof;

Ordered, The House concurring, that the Secretary of State be authorized to furnish such postage and other supplies to the Legislative Committees as shall be ordered by vote of the several Committees;

Ordered, The House concurring, that the Joint Standing Committee on Library be directed to receive proposals from the publishers of the Maine State Year Book for furnishing the State with a sufficient number of copies for the years 1915 and 1916;

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House were read and passed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act requiring all butter offered or exposed for sale, or sold, to be stamped with the maker's name;"

Bill "An Act relating to trespass upon grounds of agricultural societies;"

Resolve for the protection of trees and shrubs from the ravages of dangerous insects and diseases;

Were referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of William R. Roix;

Resolve in favor of the Children's Aid Society of Maine;

Resolve authorizing the State Treasurer to procure a temporary loan for the year 1916;

Resolve in favor of C. H. Ashford, doorkeeper for the House of Representatives of the Seventy-sixth Legislature, for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature;

Resolve in favor of Augusta General Hospital;

Resolve in favor of Lee Academy for liquidation of its indebtedness;

Resolve in favor of the Greenville Junction Y. M. C. A. Hospital for maintenance;

Resolve in favor of James L. Bresnahan, Page for the House of the Seventy-sixth Legislature, for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature;

Resolve in favor of Gardner K. Heath, Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives of the Seventy-sixth Legislature, for services at the organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature;

Resolve in favor of York County Children's Aid Society, Saco;

Resolve in favor of Joseph H. Dixon, First Folder for the House of the Seventy-sixth Legislature, for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature;

Resolve authorizing the State Treasurer to procure a temporary loan for the year 1915;

Resolve in favor of the Bath City Hospital of Bath, Maine;

Resolve in favor of the Bath Military and Naval Orphan Asylum;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve for the town of Shirley,

Was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act relating to holidays;"

Resolve in favor of Lee Academy for maintenance;

Resolve making appropriations for the construction of buildings at the University of Maine;

Resolve making an appropriation for maintenance of the University of Maine;

Resolve in favor of Aroostook Central Institute at Mars Hill;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act to regulate the catching of white perch in Little River, in Old Orchard, in the county of York;"

Bill "An Act to close Otter Pond, in the town of Bridgton and county of Cumberland, to fishing for the term of five years from the time when this act takes effect;"

Resolve in favor of extending the open season for fly fishing in the pool at the Upper Dam and in the river running from said pool to Lake Mollychunkamunk;

Petition of John S. Doane and 27 others to extend the open season for fly fishing in the pool at Upper Dam and in the river running from said pool to Lake Mollychunkamunk, to the first day of October in each year;

Petition of C. S. Stetson and 18 others, relative to the protection of fish in Hooper Pond in Greene in the county of Androscoggin;

Petition of C. S. Collamer and 14 others, relative to licensing non-resident fishermen;

Petition of C. J. Doble and 32 others for "open time" at Brewer Lake in Orrington, Maine;

Petition of E. F. Spencer and 58 others for open time at Brewer Lake in Orrington, Maine;

Petition of Robert B. Robinson and 112 others for "open time" at Brewer Lake, in Orrington;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to amend 'An Act to incorporate the Sawtelle Brook Dam and Improvement Co.;"

Resolve in aid of navigation on Moosehead Lake;

Were referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act relating to procedure in the Supreme Judicial and Superior Courts;"

Bill "An Act to amend that part of Section 5 of Chapter 80 of Revised Statutes of Maine, relating to regular sessions of the County Commissioners in Oxford County;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 290 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911 entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Rumford and Mexico Water District;'"

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to extend the time in which the Maine Title Guarantee Company is authorized to commence business;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the South Berwick Sewer Company;"

Bill "An Act to amend and extend the charter of the Baker and Spencer Brook Dam and Improvement Company;"

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act providing for pensions to employees of the city of Bangor;"

Bill "An Act retiring the Document Clerk in the Maine State Library;"

Resolve in favor of Salathiel D. Seeley of Perry for an increase of pension;

Resolve in favor of Mary E. Elwell of Chesterville;
Were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Resolve in aid of the Maine Anti-Tuberculosis Association, for educational and organization purposes,

Was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 393 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909 as amended by Chapter 220 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relative to salary of the Judge of Millinocket Municipal Court;"

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Clerk of the Municipal Court of the city of Auburn;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 274 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887 as amended by Chapter 360 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, relating to the salary of the Recorder of the Municipal Court for the city of Portland;"

Bill "An Act in relation to the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of Portland;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 154 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to fees of Recorder of Houlton Municipal Court;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 444, of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to clerk hire for the Municipal Court of the city of Lewiston;"

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Judge of the Belfast Municipal Court;"

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of Sanford;"

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of Eastport;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 21 of Chapter 166 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to salaries of Judge and Recorder of the Piscataquis Municipal Court;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 352 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, relating to the salary of the Judge of Caribou Municipal Court;"

Were referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Bill "An Act for the better protection of shell-fish within the town of Old Orchard, in the county of York;"

Petition of Fred Dunton and 118 others of Boothbay and vicinity, asking for the repeal of Chapter 90 of the Laws of 1911, relating to the protection of smelts;

Petition of Daniel Greenleaf and 100 others of Boothbay Harbor, asking for the repeal of Chapter 90 of the Laws of 1911, relating to the protection of smelts;

Petition of Alvin Stover and 86 others of North Boothbay, asking for the repeal of Chapter 90 of the Laws of 1911, relating to the protection of smelts;

Petition of Thurman E. Alley and 68 others of Southport, asking for the repeal of Chapter 90 of the Laws of 1911, relating to the protection of smelts;

Petition of Frank H. Caswell and 69 others of Edgecomb,

asking for the repeal of Chapter 90 of the Laws of 1911, relating to the protection of smelts;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to divide the town of Kennebunkport and incorporate the town of North Kennebunkport;"

Bill "An Act in favor of the union of the towns of Dover and Foxcroft as one municipality;"

Bill "An Act to divide the town of Bristol and to incorporate the town of South Bristol;"

Petition of L. E. Tibbetts and 83 others to divide the town of Bristol and incorporate the town of South Bristol;

Petition of D. G. Chittenden and 41 others to divide the town of Bristol and incorporate the town of South Bristol;

Petitions of D. E. Dinsmore, C. W. Hayes, W. E. Parsons, C. F. Stowe and 98 others, in favor of an act in favor of the union of towns of Dover and Foxcroft, as one municipality;

Remonstrance of Mark A. Wadlin and 36 others against incorporation of Northport Village Corporation;

Remonstrance of C. E. Drinkwater and 123 others of Northport against incorporation of Northport Village Corporation;
Were referred to the Committee on Towns.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, to provide for a more equitable distribution of funds for State aid roads;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, to provide for a more equitable distribution of funds for State aid roads;"

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 326 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act to regulate the use of the roads in the town of Castine;'"

Resolve for the building of bridge across Kenduskeag Stream in the town of Corinth, Penobscot County;

Resolve in favor of rebuilding a road through Lowell's Woods, so-called, in the town of Penobscot;

Resolve in favor of bridge in the town of Montville;

Resolve for the permanent improvement and repairs of the New Kenduskeag Road in the town of Glenburn;

Petition of Edward Goodwin and 15 others, relative to State aid for roads;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. EDWARDS of Bethel,
Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Thursday.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk*.

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, January 28, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Dunnack of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Central Maine General Hospital of Lewiston, Maine, with statement of facts;

Report of State Treasurer and State Auditor on adjustment of accounts in the Treasurer's office in accordance with order of the Seventy-sixth Legislature;

Resolve in favor of John F. Locke, an officer of the Seventy-sixth Legislature, for services at organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature;

Resolve in behalf of the Children's Hospital of Portland;
Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the Trustees of Freedom Academy,
Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act relating to the Clark Power Company,"
Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act to authorize the Clark Power Company to increase its capital stock;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 71 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 24 of the Public Laws of 1913, in regard to release or discharge of attachments;"

Bill "An Act to extend the powers of the Limerick Water and Electric Company;"

Bill "An Act to amend and extend the powers of the Hiram Water, Light and Power Company;"
Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act regulating hours of employment, and relating to conductors and motormen,"
Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to permit the town of Southport to obtain a supply of pure water;"

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Southport to own and maintain an electric lighting and power plant;"
Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Quebec Extension Railway Company,"
Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 27 of Section 1 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the compensation of the subordinate officers of the Maine State Prison,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Resolve in favor of rebuilding Cape Rosier bridge over Goose Falls in the town of Brooksville;

Resolve in favor of the construction of Lord bridge, over Marsh Stream, in the town of Frankfort;

Resolve in favor of the Dunn's Notch Road in Andover North Surplus and Grafton, both in the County of Oxford;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Ordered, The House concurring, that 675 copies of the Legislative Record for the political years of 1915-1916, be printed and bound, one copy each for the members of the Senate and the House of Representatives, the remainder to be deposited in the State Library for exchange and library use; and be it further

Ordered, That a suitable index of such Legislative Record be prepared, printed and bound with each volume, under the direction of the State Librarian; and be it further

Ordered, That 350 copies of the Legislative Record be printed in pamphlet form for distribution from day to day to members of the Legislature and the Departments, under the direction of the Document Clerk,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

Ordered, The House concurring, that the binder punch all Legislative documents to conform with the binders in use by the Legislature,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911 as amended by Chapter 74 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to live-stock,"

Was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of Waldo County General Hospital for building annex, buying and installing machinery for a laundry, and maintenance;

Resolve in favor of Trull Hospital Aid Association, Biddeford, accompanied by a statement of facts;

Resolve in favor of the Bath City Hospital of Bath, Maine;

Petition of James Church of Gardiner and 112 others in favor of the W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children, Gardiner;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Herbert L. Kimball;

Resolve in favor of DeForest Keyes;

Resolve in favor of relief of the heirs of Revolutionary soldier;

Resolve in favor of the town of Merrill;

Resolve in favor of Will T. Collins, Mary Collins and Alice A. Collins, with statement of facts;

Were referred to the Committee on Claims.

Resolve in favor of Van Buren College for the erection of a new building,

Was referred to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice-fishing in Androscoggin Lake, in the county of Androscoggin;"

Bill "An Act to regulate fishing in the tributaries to Pattee's Pond, and in a portion of Wilson Brook, a tributary to the outlet of said pond in Kennebec County;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in certain ponds in Oxford County;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of suckers, eels, hornpouts, and yellow perch, with eel pots, traps or nets;"

Bill "An Act to provide for a close time on bull moose;"

Bill "An Act relating to the protection of foxes;"

Bill "An Act to prohibit ice fishing in Little Dyer's Pond, so called, in Jefferson, in the county of Lincoln;"

Bill "An Act to prohibit the taking of fish from the Fresh Pond, so called, in North Haven, County of Knox, for a period of five years, accompanied by a petition from James O. Brown and eight others;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Passadumkeag River, sometimes called Passadumkeag Stream, in Penobscot County;"

Resolve in favor of a feeding station for trout and landlocked salmon at Lake Kezar, in Oxford County, with statement of facts;

Petition of E. L. Johnson and 31 other residents of Cumberland County, asking for close time on North Branch Brook and tributaries, Cumberland County;

Petition of A. L. Carr of Sangerville, and 170 others, asking that pickerel fishing through the ice be permitted in Harlow Pond in Sangerville and Parkman;

Petition of Alva Coolidge and 11 others, residents of Upton and vicinity, relating to fishing in Dead Cambridge River and other waters in Oxford County;

Petition of D H. Moores and others of Houlton, in favor of a resident hunters' and fishermen's license;

Petition of H. F. Woodard and 33 other residents of Kennebec County, asking that Jimmy Pond, in Litchfield, be opened to fishing;

Petition of E. M. Grant and 15 others, residents of Oxford County, asking for additional restrictions upon fishing in Metalluc Brook, a tributary to Upper Richardson Lake;

Petition of E. F. Edgerly of South Paris, and 20 others, asking that Island Pond and tributaries, in Cumberland and Oxford Counties, be closed to all fishing;

Petition of A. S. Thompson of Jay, and 64 others, asking for additional regulations upon fishing in waters in Jay and Chesterville, in Franklin County, and in Fayette, Kennebec County;

Petition of James O. Brown and eight others, to prohibit fishing in Fresh Pond, North Haven;

Petition of John R. Flint and 60 other residents of Monson, asking that Lake Hebron in Monson be opened to ice fishing;

Petition of Winfield S. Richards and 32 others, citizens of Maine, in favor of a non-resident fishing license;

Petition of C. E. Marston and 47 others, asking for additional restrictions upon fishing in certain waters in the vicinity of Holeb, Somerset County;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to authorize the Kennebec Lumber Company to maintain piers and booms in Kennebec River above the Augusta dam;"

Bill "An Act to regulate anchorage in waters of Moosehead Lake bordering on Kineo;"

Were referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 114 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the relief of poor debtors;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 114 of the Revised Statutes, relating to poor debtors;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 24 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 10 of the Public Laws of 1909, in relation to reports of hearings in vacation in law or equity;"

Bill "An Act to establish the State Board of Accounts;"
Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 87 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to employment agencies,"
Was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Augusta with respect to the salary of the Mayor;"

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Guilford Water District;"

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 72 of Chapter 4 of Revised Statutes of Maine, relating to Firemen's Memorial Sunday;"

Resolve in favor of the Maine Society of the Sons of the American Revolution to provide markers for the unmarked graves of the soldiers of the Revolution;

Were referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Bill "An Act to provide for retiring and pensioning employees of State Insane Hospitals and School for Feeble Minded;"

Resolve in favor of Lester Patten;

Resolve in favor of Mary Allen;

Were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to increase salary of probation officer for the County of Cumberland and to create office of assistant,"

Was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Resolve providing for permanent outside service extension to present and proposed new buildings at the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Resolve for the construction of concrete walks at the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Resolve for the full support of all State charges at the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Resolve for the construction of a bridge across Collyer Brook below the dam at the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Resolve providing for fencing around the new water supply at the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Resolve for the construction of a power and central heating plant at the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Resolve providing for additional laundry equipment at the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Were referred to the Committee on School for Feeble Minded.

Bill "An Act to prohibit the fishing for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries, by use of purse or drag seine;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 49 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to taking alewives in Damariscotta River;"

Resolve for the purpose of providing and operating a patrol boat to be used in enforcing the laws relating to sea and shore fisheries;

Petition of W. P. Kimball and 59 others for the enactment of a law to prevent seining for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries;

Petition of A. P. Greenleaf and eight others for the enactment of a law to prevent seining for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries;

Petition of Levi W. Powers and 19 others of Georgetown for the enactment of a law to prevent seining for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries;

Petition of W. E. Grover and 192 others of Boothbay Harbor for the enactment of a law to prevent seining for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries;

Petition of B. F. Benner to amend Section 49 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to taking alewives in Damariscotta River;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 163 of the Public Laws of 1905 as amended by Chapter 20 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to taxation of soldiers and sailors,"

Was referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Bill "An Act amendatory of Sections 27 and 28 of Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones, and other public utilities,"

Was referred to the Committee on Telegraphs and Telephones.

Bill "An Act to provide for the sale of intoxicating liquors for medicinal and mechanical purposes and the arts,"

Was referred to the Committee on Temperance.

Resolve in favor of a road in the towns of Amherst and Clifton, in the counties of Hancock and Penobscot, respectively;

Resolve in favor of building a bridge across the Mattawamkeag River, in the town of Haynesville, in the county of Aroostook;

Resolve in favor of an appropriation to be made to the Plantation of Webster to be used in building an iron bridge with concrete piers across the Mattagoodus Stream in Webster Plantation;

Petition of Joseph Dicker and 28 others for an appropriation for a bridge across the Mattagoodus Stream in Webster Plantation;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

On motion of Mr. BESSE of Clinton,

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that there be 1500 more Senate and House Registers printed.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

The Speaker read the following certificate:

OLD TOWN, MAINE, January 25, 1915.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Augusta, Maine:

I hereby certify that at the biennial election of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians held November 3, 1914, Mr. Leo Shay was duly elected to serve the Tribe as a representative to the Maine Legislature for 1915-1916.

(Signed) IRA E. PINKHAM,
Agent of Penobscot Tribe of Indians.

Mr. Shay then appeared and took his place in the House as representative for the Penobscot Tribe of Indians.

On motion of Mr. MITCHELL of Newfield,
Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Friday.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk.*

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, January 29, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingston of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Ordered, The House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn it be to meet Tuesday forenoon, February 2, 1915, at ten o'clock,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence. This was received out of order.

Resolve in favor of Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Woman's College, for instruction in Agriculture and Domestic Science, Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of the Washington State Normal School at Machias for the completion of the construction of the Normal School Building at said School;

Resolve in favor of the Washington State Normal School at Machias for the completion of the partially constructed dormitory at said School and furnishings for the same;

Resolve in favor of the Washington State Normal School at Machias for removing and remodeling the O'Brien house, so called, at said School;

Resolve in favor of the Aroostook State Normal School at Presque Isle for repairs;

Resolve in favor of the Eastern State Normal School at Castine for repairs and permanent improvements;

Resolve in favor of the Madawaska Training School at Fort Kent for permanent improvements and repairs at said School;

Resolve in favor of the Madawaska Training School at Fort Kent for the construction of a suitable dormitory building and for providing furnishings for the same;

Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for completing the furnishings at the dormitory of said School;

Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for repairs and permanent improvements;

Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for the construction of a suitable building for the Household Arts Department;

Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for furnishings at the new dormitory at said School;

Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for the construction of a central heating plant;

Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for the completion of the partially constructed dormitory at said School;

Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for the enlargement and improvement of the Normal School building;

Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for purchasing and installation of equipment for the Industrial Department of said School;

Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for permanent improvements and repairs;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 115 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 106 of the Public Laws of 1909, as further amended by Chapter 186 of the Public Laws of 1911, and as further amended by Chapter 45 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the appropriation for the support of the Normal and Training Schools;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing through the ice in Martin Pond, sometimes called Long Pond, in The Forks Plantation, in Somerset County;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Great, Long, East, North, Ellis, McGraw and Snow Ponds, in Kennebec and Somerset Counties;"

Petition of W. M. Adams and seven other residents of Somerset County asking for additional restrictions upon fishing in Ellis Pond, Somerset County;

Petition of W. J. Holway and 24 others, residents of Somerset County, asking that ice fishing be permitted in Martin Pond, in Somerset County, in accordance with the general law of the State;

Bill "An Act to prohibit hunting in Kineo, Piscataquis County, Maine, amending Section 48 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to close Socatean Stream to power boats,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act relating to the use of automobiles in the town of Mount Desert, Hancock County;"

Bill "An Act permitting the use of automobiles in the town of Mount Desert;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 489 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, entitled 'An Act to supply the town of Lubec with pure water,'"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the World's Standard Insurance Company,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Bill "An Act to lessen frauds in the name of Charity,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Portland Traffic District;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Fairfield and Skowhegan Railway Company;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 5 of Section 1 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the expenses of the Judge of the Kennebec Superior Court,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Resolve for the construction of two brick dormitories for inmates at the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Resolve for the construction of one brick building for a central kitchen and congregate dining-rooms at the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Resolve providing for equipment and service connection of the proposed central kitchen and bakery, and furnishings of dining-rooms, at the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on School for Feeble Minded.

Bill "An Act for the better protection of shell fish within the town of Eliot, in the County of York,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to enable the town of Rangeley to make a fill in, and maintain a dam at, the outlet of Haley Pond for a park and sanitary purposes,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Bill "An Act to regulate the amount and the abatement of poll taxes,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Taxation.

Resolve appropriating money to assist the town of South Thomaston in rebuilding Spruce Head Bridge;

Resolve for aid in rebuilding a bridge between the island town of Southport and the town of Boothbay Harbor;

Petition of V. Babnow and other residents of Sidney for bridge across Kennebec River between towns of Vassalboro and Sidney;

Petition of W. B. Crosby and other residents of Vassalboro for bridge across Kennebec River between towns of Vassalboro and Sidney;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that no bill or resolve carrying an appropriation of money shall be introduced after the tenth day of February, 1915,

Came from the Senate indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,
The order was tabled.

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that the time for the reception of petitions and bills for private and special legislation be limited to Wednesday, February 10, 1915, and that all such petitions and bills presented after that date be referred to the next Legislature, and that the Clerk of the House cause copies of this order to be published in all daily papers in this State until February 1, 1915,

Came from the Senate read and passed as amended by Senate amendment A, in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,
The order as amended by Senate amendment A was read and passed in concurrence, the order thus read and passed in concurrence reading as follows:

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that the time for the reception of petitions and bills for Private and Special Legislation be limited to Wednesday, February 17, 1915, and that the Clerk of the House cause copies of this order to be published in all daily papers in this State until February 1, 1915.

Bill "An Act to provide that the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner shall be a veterinary surgeon;"

Bill "An Act to provide for the semi-monthly payment for cream;"

Resolve for weights and measures;

Resolve in favor of the Bureau of Horticulture;

Resolve for the purpose of constructing an experimental storage plant at Highmoor Farm, with statement of facts;

Were referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of the Maine State Sanatorium Association to supply free beds and other assistance to needy patients at said Institution,

Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve to reimburse the town of Aurora for \$86.00 over-expenditure on the 1913 State Aid Road,

Was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Resolve relating to Penobscot Tribe of Indians,

Was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Forest Lake, in Cumberland County;"

Bill "An Act in amendment of Chapter 32 of Revised Statutes, Maine, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to inland fisheries and game;"

Bill "An Act in amendment of Chapter 32 of Revised Statutes of Maine, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to inland fisheries and game;"

Bill "An Act to provide for a resident hunter's license;"

Petition of C. E. Gray and 86 others, citizens of Maine, in favor of a non-resident fishing license;

Petition of A. M. Linnel and 25 others, relative to the protection of fish in Magalloway Waters;

Petition of Harry K. Thayer and 65 others for "open time" at Brewer Lake, in Orrington, Maine;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to enlarge the purposes of the New England Fish Company;"

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of Greenville Light and Power Company;"

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of Penobscot Bay Electric Company;"

Bill "An Act authorizing the Plantation of Barnard to construct its ways and bridges;"

Bill "An Act to define and make plain the meaning of Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 328 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the reconstruction of the easterly span of the Old Town-Milford bridge;"

Bill "An Act to amend an act establishing the Bangor Municipal Court;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 71 of Private and Special Laws of 1891 incorporating the city of Old Town;"

Bill "An Act relating to costs in civil actions;"

Petition of Thomas Ladd and others of Barnard Plantation for the right to construct its ways and bridges;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act relative to the hours of labor of certain employees in and about the stations of railroad corporations,"

Was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act relative to untrue and misleading advertisements;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 121 of the Private Laws of 1911, relating to board of overseers of the poor of the city of Portland;"

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to authorize the construction of a public building in Rumford for municipal and county purposes,"

Was referred to the Oxford County Delegation.

Petition of C. E. Nutting and 13 others of Otisfield Grange, Number 117, of Otisfield, Maine, in favor of the Act for the Relief of the Blind Residents of Maine;

Also petitions from the following in favor of the same:

Clinton A. Huff and 13 others of North Scarboro Grange, No. 495, of North Scarboro, Maine;

Lyman Shedd and 15 others of Crooked River Grange, No. 32, of Bolster's Mills, Maine;

Walter H. Johnson and 26 others of Gorham Grange, No. 54, of Gorham, Maine;

Inez S. Yeaton and 15 others of Gray Grange, No. 41, of Gray, Maine;

E. R. Leary and eight others of Dunstan Grange, No. 293, of West Scarboro, Maine;

H. G. Tuck and 12 others of Haynesville Grange, No. 399, of Haynesville, Maine;

H. E. Watts and eight others of Roque Bluffs Grange, No. 385, of Roque Bluffs, Maine;

Ralph W. Chandler and 24 others of Machias Valley Grange, No. 360, of Machias, Maine;

George D. Weston, Master, and five other officers and members of Dromore Grange, No. 302, of Winnegance, Maine;

Elmer J. Earl and three others of Danforth Grange, No. 118, of Danforth, Maine;

T. M. Knight and 15 others of Jonesboro Grange, No. 357, of Jonesboro, Maine;

L. J. Peterson and seven others of Riverside Grange, No. 475, of Lebanon, Maine;

Frank L. Day and 13 others of Orchard Grange, No. 309, East Parsonsfield, Maine;

W. B. Donnell and eight others of Wiscasset, Maine;

L. Clarke and seven others of Cathance Grange, No. 510, of Cooper, Maine;

J. H. Smith and five others of Sandy River Grange, No. 89, of Mercer, Maine;

Gerald V. Burgess and 19 others of Caribou, Maine;

Fred S. Wiggin and nine others of Maysville Center Grange, No. 153, of Presque Isle, Maine;

H. F. Smith and ten others of Belfast, Maine;

Hester E. Sanker of Equity Grange, No. 170, of Belfast, Maine;

James E. Braley and 14 others of Seaside Grange, No. 243, Belfast, Maine;

Frank W. Randall and 97 others of Harrington Grange, No. 407, of Harrington, Maine;

E. H. Libby and 19 others of Lake View Grange, No. 249, Auburn, Maine;

Ernest F. Additon and 14 others of Leeds Grange, No. 99, of Leeds, Maine;

R. A. Pierce and 156 others of East Hebron Grange, No. 300, P. of H., of Turner, Maine;

Henry J. Bacon and 15 others of West Minot Grange, No. 42, of West Minot, Maine;

J. B. Pooler and 28 others of Minerva Grange, No. 383, of Levant, Maine;

F. L. Holt and 23 others of Independence Grange, No. 77, of Bradford, Maine;

Fred A. Toothaker and 13 others of Hillside Grange, No. 410, Newburgh, Maine;

Amos G. Fitz and 39 others of Mystic Tie Grange, No. 58, Kenduskeag, Maine;

Millie H. S. Flagg and nine others of Hudson Grange, No. 457, of Hudson, Maine;

A. Hathaway and 24 others of Wonder Grange, No. 448, of Medway, Maine;

Alvah P. Cobb and 21 others of Forest Grange, No. 125, of Lee, Maine;

E. L. Smart and 13 others of Whitney Grange, No. 435, Sebois Plt., Maine;

F. A. Wing and 27 others of Union Grange, No. 26, of Hermon, Maine;

Kenneth A. McKeen and 27 others of Riverside Grange, No. 273, of Brewer, Maine;

H. W. Leach and ten others of Charleston Grange, No. 325, of Charleston, Maine;

H. B. Clement and six others of Dirigo Grange, No. 98, of Freedom, Maine;

Fannie E. Stone and 40 others of Edgecomb Grange, No. 518, of Edgecomb, Maine;

Elmer C. Sornes and 38 others of Ocean Grange, No. 213, of New Harbor, Maine;

O. C. Nutting and 11 others of Woolwich Grange, No. 68, of Woolwich, Maine;

P. C. Goodwin and 21 others of Elm Brook Grange, No. 521, of Wells Depot, Maine;

C. B. Littlefield and 27 others of Ogunquit Grange, No. 444, of Ogunquit, Maine;

Mrs. H. A. Plummer and ten others of New Portland Grange, No. 112, of North New Portland, Maine;

W. C. Nason and 12 others of Enterprise Grange, No. 36, of Waterboro, Maine;

D. N. Cheney and 21 others of Quamphyan Grange, No. 512, of South Berwick, Maine;

M. Lizzie Sanborn and 23 others of Liberty Grange, No. 503, of Machiasport, Maine;

Were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 211 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895 as amended by Chapter 101 of the Laws of 1909, relating to salaries of judge and recorder of Bangor Municipal Court,"

Was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Resolve in favor of improving roads through the property of the School for Feeble Minded in the towns of Pownal, North Yarmouth, Gray, and New Gloucester, with statement of facts,

Was referred to the Committee on School for Feeble Minded.

Bill "An Act for the better protection of clams within the limits of the town of Harpswell, in the county of Cumberland;"

Petition of Daniel Greenleaf and 108 others of Boothbay Harbor remonstrating against any change relating to the catching of herring in the Sheepscot River;

Petition of Thurman E. Alley and 68 others of Southport, for same;

Petition of Frank H. Caswell and 169 others of Edgecomb, for same;

Petition of Alvin E. Stover and 73 others of North Boothbay, for same;

Remonstrances of Fred Dunton of Boothbay and 130 others against any change in the law relating to herring in the Sheepscot River;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey a certain lot or parcel of land, situated in Dennistown Plantation, in Somerset County,

Was referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 139 of the Private and Special Laws of 1899, relating to the limits of the town of Dixfield;"

Petition of C. L. Dillingham and 30 others to amend Section 1 of Chapter 139 of the Private and Special Laws of 1899, relating to the limits of the town of Dixfield;

Were referred to the Committee on Towns.

Resolve in favor of the town of Prentiss;

Resolve in favor of repairing the main highway in the towns of Norway and Waterford, Oxford County;

Resolve in favor of repairing the main highway leading from the town of Franklin in Hancock County to the town of Cherryfield in Washington County;

Resolve to provide for improvement of highway in the towns of Greenwood and Woodstock;

Resolve to provide for repair of road leading from Stacyville Station to the East Branch of the Penobscot River;

Petition of C. O. Murphy and 61 others in favor of a resolve for an appropriation for the purpose of assisting in the building of a State road from Jackman through Long Pond Plantation to Rockwood, Moosehead Lake;

Petition of W. E. Hackett and 12 others for same;

Petition of William T. Haines and 60 others for same;

Petition of G. H. Turner and 18 others for same;

Petition of F. A. Gilbert and 29 others for same;

Petition of Walter H. Maynard and 16 others for same;

Petition of P. F. Larkin and 26 others for same;

Petition of F. E. Haines and 12 others for same;

Petition of W. J. McMahon and 59 others for same;

Petition of Forrest H. Colby and 23 others for same;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. DAIGLE of New Canada,
Adjourned to Tuesday, February 2, at ten o'clock, A. M.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk.*

AUGUSTA,
TUESDAY, February 2, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Haynes of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, in relation to Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 26 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to the deposit by Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings of collateral for loans made without the State;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 21 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, as amended by Chapter 69 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to deposits in Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings in the names of married women and minors;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Bill "An Act for the protection of wild animals and birds on the southerly point of Swan Island in the town of Perkins,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine Water Co. to take water from Sabbath Day Pond,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act for the better protection of children and to amend Chapter 61 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, and Chapter 123 of the Public Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter

43 of the Public Laws of 1907, and Chapter 109 of the Public Laws of 1909;”

Bill “An Act to establish the West Washington Municipal Court;”

Bill “An Act for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from steam boilers or steam machinery operated by incompetent persons in cities of over 35,000 inhabitants;”

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Petition of L. L. Smith and 11 others of Wesserrunnett Grange, No. 346, of Cornville, Maine, in favor of the Act for the relief of the blind residents of Maine;

Petitions of the following in favor of the same:

R. F. Cole and 131 others of Sunrise Grange, No. 241, of Winterport;

H. A. Swanton and 11 others of Westport Grange, No. 516, of Westport;

G. W. Benner and four others of Jefferson Grange, No. 197, of Jefferson;

George Carsley and 17 others of Lakeside Grange, No. 63, of Harrison;

C. K. Thorpe and 14 others of Riverside Grange, No. 93, of Raymond;

E. B. Rackleff and 16 others of Saccarappa Grange, No. 481, of Saccarappa;

Bion Wing and 17 others of Sandy River Grange, No. 339, of Madrid;

F. W. Patterson and five others of Industry Grange, No. 428, of Industry;

W. A. Hobbs and 54 others of Pleasant River Grange, No. 168, of Milo;

H. B. Allen and 23 others of Cumberland Grange, No. 500, of Cumberland Center;

H. C. Miller of Eastern Star Grange, No. 1, of Hampden Center;

Elmer E. Abbott and 16 others of Mousam Lake Grange, No. 467, of Shapleigh;

Mrs. Evrie Oakes and 14 others of Narraguagus Grange, No. 505, of Deblois;

John McCarlie and 18 others of Denny's Grange, No. 511, of Dennysville;

Petition of five thousand citizens of the State of Maine in favor of "An Act for the relief of the blind residents of Maine," in which are found the following:

Hon. William M. Ingraham and 1650 others of Portland;

Hon. Charles F. Johnson and 229 others of Waterville;

Hon. D. J. McGillicuddy and 250 others of Lewiston;

Hon. F. O. Beal and 480 others of Bangor;

Hon. J. S. Hyde and 105 others of Bath;

Hon. G. Raymond Joy and 136 others of Bar Harbor;

Hon. A. C. Hagerthy and 114 others of Ellsworth;

Hon. Charles F. Daggett and 105 others of Presque Isle;

Hon. Carl C. King and 111 others of Caribou;

Hon. Herbert T. Powers and 89 others of Fort Fairfield;

Hon. Beecher Putnam and 188 others of Houlton;

Hon. George G. Weeks and 55 others of Fairfield;

Hon. L. B. Waldron and 100 others of Dexter;

Hon. P. I. Russell and 119 others of Gardiner;

Hon. Robert F. Dunton and 127 others of Belfast;

Hon. John F. Sprague and 142 others of Dover and Foxcroft;

Hon. C. Wallace Harmon and 59 others of Saco;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act in favor of authorizing the town of Richmond to change a burying ground;"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 219 of the Laws of 1913, relating to the salary of the stenographer of the Superior Court for Kennebec County,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Resolve in favor of the purchase of land in some suitable location, and the erection thereon of buildings for a new State Prison,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Prison.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the annual report of the Inspectors, Warden and Subordinate Officers of the Maine State Prison, and the reports of Trustees and Principal of the Maine School for the Deaf,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Prison, Annual Reports of the Inspectors, Warden and Subordinate Officers of the Maine State Prison, Thomaston, Maine, referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Prison, and Reports of Trustees and Principal of the Maine School for the Deaf, referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act in relation to improvement of certain highways;"

Resolve for an appropriation to repair bridges in Township Number 29, M. D., in Washington County;

Resolve in favor of an appropriation to repair bridge in the town of Addison;

Resolve in favor of bridge in Township Number 30, M. D., Washington;

Resolve in favor of bridges in Township Number 31, M. D., Washington County;

Resolve in favor of the rebuilding of the road between Marshfield and Northfield;

Resolve in favor of eliminating bridge on causeway at Machias;

Resolve in favor of the highway in the Plantations of Dallas and Lang, in Franklin County;

Resolve in favor of a bridge across the South Branch of Dead River in the Plantation of Dallas, in Franklin County;

Resolve in favor of aid in building a bridge in the town of Deblois, Washington County;

Petition of Arthur A. Crafts and nine others in favor of a resolve for an appropriation for the purpose of assisting in the building of a State road from Jackman through Long Pond Plantation to Rockwood, Moosehead Lake;

Petition of S. W. Philbrick and 43 others in favor of same;

Petition of Nathan S. Albee and 16 others in favor of State aid in constructing a bridge across the South Branch of Dead River, in the Plantation of Dallas, in Franklin County;

Petition of C. E. Nile and 24 others in favor of same;

Petition of H. A. Furbish and 49 others in favor of same;

Petition of Nathan S. Albee and 15 others in favor of an appropriation for widening and straightening the highway in Dallas and Lang Plantations, in Franklin County;

Petition of Walter F. Oakes and 53 others in favor of same;

Petition of C. E. Nile and 24 others in favor of same;

Petition of W. H. Henderson of Allagash, and 47 others, for aid for building a bridge across Allagash River, in Allagash Plantation;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Resolve making an appropriation for co-operative agricultural work between the College of Agriculture of the University of Maine and the United States Department of Agriculture;

Resolve assenting to the provisions of an Act of the Congress of the United States, relating to Co-operative Agricultural Extension Work;

Were referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of Madigan Memorial Hospital of Houlton,
Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of reimbursing the town of Norridgewock for money paid out to support Eugene P. Hopkins and family,
Was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Memorial to Congress favoring movement for Permanent International Peace,
Was referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Bill "An Act to prohibit the hunting and killing of deer in the towns of Deer Isle and Stonington, in the County of Hancock, for the space of six years,"

Was referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Resolve in aid of navigation on Lewys, Long and Big Lakes in Washington County;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 285 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relative to the water rights of the Dover and Foxcroft Water District;"

Were referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections four, seven and eight, and adding Section 12 to Chapter 65 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the Department of Labor and Industry,"

Was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 71 of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the jurisdiction of the Superior Court for Cumberland County in divorce cases;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 55 of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes, relating to exceptions and motions for new trials;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time of closing the polls at primary elections;"

Petition of Myrtie Bølstridge and nine other nurses of Houlton for the passage of an Act to procure State registration for nurses;

Petition of Mrs. F. S. Tribou and six other nurses of Presque Isle for same;

Petition of Frank Kilburn, M. D., and six other physicians of Presque Isle for same;

Petition of Frank H. Jackson, M. D., and five other physicians of Houlton for same;

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Lucy A. Owens, with statement of facts;

Petition of George W. Frank and ten others of Golden Sheaf Grange, No. 234, of Sherman, Maine, in favor of the Act for the relief of the blind residents of Maine;

Petitions of the following for the same:

W. H. Dorr and 28 others of Island Falls Grange, No. 268, of Island Falls;

Gladys E. Tibbetts and 13 others of Sheepscot Grange, No. 455, of East Palermo;

Blanche Kimball and 23 others of Mt. Cutler Grange, No. 152, of Hiram;

Nora Stearns and 14 others of Charter Oak Grange, No. 146, of Porter;

T. W. Lamb and 15 others of Buckfield Grange, No. 438, of Buckfield;

P. W. Torrey and 13 others of Mt. Sugar Top Grange, No. 111, of Dixfield;

W. C. Newell and four others of Bethel Grange, No. 56, P. of H., of Bethel;

D. C. Foster and 16 others of Alder River Grange, No. 145, of East Bethel;

W. W. Arris of North Star Grange, No. 130, of Byron;

A. N. Cairns and 37 others of Paris Grange, No. 44, of South Paris;

J. F. Talbot and 14 others of Lone Mountain Grange, No. 131, of Andover;

Were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lubec, East Machias and Machias Railway Company,"

Was referred to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey certain lands in the public lots in Plantation Number 33, Hancock County;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 49 of Chapter 23 of Revised Statutes, relative to log-haulers;"

Were referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Petition of Wm. C. Woodbury and others of Dover favoring the union of Dover and Foxcroft;

Petition of Henry L. Smith and others of Foxcroft for same;

Were referred to the Committee on Towns.

Resolve in favor of repairing bridge in Forest City;

Resolve in favor of the construction of a bridge across Cousins River, in the town of Yarmouth;

Petition of Arthur Moody and 24 others in favor of the construction of a bridge across the Mattawamkeag River, in the town of Haynesville in the County of Aroostook;

Petition of Alfred G. Chambers and 90 others in favor of same;

Petition of T. T. Michaud and 50 others in favor of the Plantation of Wallagrass;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. HASKELL, from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, on Resolve in favor of Lee Academy for liquidation of its indebtedness, reported that the same be referred to the Committee on Education.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

Mr. MORSE, from the Committee on Railroads and Expresses, reported "ought not to pass" on bill "An Act to provide for the convenience of travelers upon electric roads."

On motion of Mr. BROWN of Auburn,

The report was tabled pending acceptance.

Mr. MORSE, from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Eastern Maine Railroad."

The report was accepted and bill ordered printed under joint rules.

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that no bill or resolve carrying an appropriation of money shall be finally passed prior to the first day of March, 1915,

Which was tabled January 22,

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of the same gentleman, the House receded from its vote whereby the order was passed, and indefinitely postponed it in concurrence with the action of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. VARNEY of Windham,

Adjourned to ten A. M., tomorrow, Wednesday.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk*.

AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, February 3, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Boothby of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to complete the records in the Register of Deeds in Androscoggin County,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Androscoggin County Delegation.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections eight and nine of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the fish and game laws,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to provide for nomination of candidates of political parties by primary elections,' "

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to set off part of the town of Centerville and annex same to the town of Northfield,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Towns.

Ordered, The House concurring, that the secretary of the Senate be directed and instructed to inform the State Printer and the State Binder that this Legislature is the sole constitutional judge of the necessity, character, quantity and time limit of its printing; that its determination of these questions is final and not subject to the review of any other department of government; that the Legislature now in session has not

delegated to any person or department, outside of the Legislature, any authority or control over its legislative printing and binding, and that, in the matter of legislative printing and binding, the State Printer and the State Binder are expected to promptly respect, obey and execute the orders of the Legislature,

Came from the Senate read and passed.

Mr. CLIFFORD of Lewiston moved to lay the order on the table.

Mr. WESCOTT of Bluehill opposed the motion, and called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered.

The motion before the House being to table the order, the motion was lost by a vote of 68 to 70.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Greenleaf	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Bernier	Haskell	Pierce (Houlton)
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Hill	Plummer
Brawn	Hobbs	Pollard
Brown (Auburn)	Hodgkins	Roberts
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Jameson	Russell (Lewiston)
Clifford	Libby	Small
Connellan	Lord	Smith
Conners	Maxwell	Tabbutt
Currier	McCarty	Tate
Davis	McCorrison	Thibodeau (Ft. K't)
Descoteaux	McCurdy	Trafton
Douglass	McIntire	Turner
Drapeau	Michaud	Ward
Durgain	Millett	Wasgatt
Fossett	Mulligan	Watts
Gallagher	Mullin	Webb
Gerrish	Neilon	Welch
Gilmour	Newell	Wheeler
Goldthwait	Noyes	Wilkins
Gooding	Peabbles	Woodman
Goodwin	Perkins	Wyman—68
Greeley	Picher	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Edwards	Nicholas
Allen	Ellis	O'Connell
Ames	Erskine	Perham
Averill	Evans	Peterson
Beal	Fay	Ranney
Benn	Ford	Ricker
Besse	Grant	Russell (Alfred)
Blake (Oakland)	Greaton	Ryder
Bonney	Greenlaw	St. Clair (Calais)
Bradbury	Hanson (Saco)	St. Clair (Rockland)
Bragdon	Hanson (Sanford)	Sanborn
Campbell	Harper	Snow
Carson	Hart	Thombs
Chadbourne	Higgins	Tobey
Chaplin	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Towle
Chamberlin	Jordan	Tuttle
Clement	Littlefield	Varney
Cobb	Lombard	Washburn
Coffin	McKinley	Waterhouse
Daigle	McNally	Wescott
Danforth	Meader	Wilson
Dilling	Mitchell	Wise—70
Drummond	Morrison	
Dutton	Morse	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Bourque	Gould	Lewis
Brann	Haraden	Mansir
Bussey	Holt (Skowhegan)	Robinson—13
Colcord	Lawrence	
Corliss	Leader	

Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln moved to concur with the Senate in passing the order.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. EDWARDS of Bethel moved to reconsider the vote whereby the House had just refused to table the order in question.

Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered, and the motion to reconsider the vote whereby the House had refused to table the order in question was carried by a vote of 73 to 69, and the order was thereby laid on the table.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Goodwin	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Bernier	Greeley	Pierce (Houlton)
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Greenleaf	Plummer
Bourque	Haskell	Pollard
Brawn	Hill	Roberts
Brown (Auburn)	Hobbs	Russell (Lewiston)
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Hodgkins	Small
Chadbourn	Jameson	Smith
Clifford	Libby	Tabbutt
Colcord	Lord	Tate
Connellan	Maxwell	Thibodeau (Ft. K't)
Conners	McCarty	Trafton
Currier	McCorrison	Turner
Davis	McCurdy	Ward
Descoteaux	McIntire	Wasgatt
Douglass	Michaud	Watts
Drapeau	Millett	Webb
Durgain	Mulligan	Welch
Edwards	Mullin	Wheeler
Fossett	Neilon	Wilkins
Gallagher	Newell	Wilson
Gerrish	Noyes	Woodman
Gilmour	Peabbles	Wyman—73
Goldthwait	Perkins	
Gooding	Picher	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Blake (Oakland)	Chamberlin
Allen	Bonney	Clement
Ames	Bradbury	Cobb
Averill	Bragdon	Coffin
Beal	Campbell	Daigle
Benn	Carson	Danforth
Besse	Chaplin	Dilling

Drummond	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Ricker
Dutton	Jordan	Russell (Alfred)
Ellis	Lawrence	Ryder
Erskine	Littlefield	St. Clair (Calais)
Evans	Lombard	St. Clair (Rockland)
Fay	McKinley	Sanborn
Ford	McNally	Snow
Gould	Meador	Thombs
Grant	Mitchell	Tobey
Greaton	Morrison	Towle
Greenlaw	Morse	Tuttle
Hanson (Saco)	Nicholas	Varney
Hanson (Sanford)	O'Connell	Washburn
Harper	Perham	Waterhouse
Hart	Peterson	Wescott
Higgins	Ranney	Wise—69

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Brann	Haraden	Lewis
Bussey	Holt (Skowhegan)	Mansir
Corliss	Leader	Robinson—9

Resolve in favor of Maine Institution for the Blind, with statement of facts;

Resolve in favor of the Good Samaritan Home Association of Bangor;

Resolve in favor of the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary for maintenance;

Resolve in favor of the Good Samaritan Home Association of Bangor;

Resolve in favor of the Androscoggin Anti-Tuberculosis Association for maintenance;

Resolve in favor of Patrick Hayes;

Resolve in favor of the Bar Harbor Medical and Surgical Hospital to partially defray running expenses;

Resolve in favor of Thomas M. Rollins;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Alfred Yankauer;

Resolve in favor of Michael Burns;

Were referred to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the powers of the County Commissioners of Cumberland County,"

Was referred to the Cumberland County Delegation.

Resolve in favor of Westbrook Seminary for a central heating plant at said Institution;

Remonstrance of C. B. Pineo and 141 others against an Act to amend Chapter 177, Public Laws of 1909, relating to Common School Fund and its Distribution;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Petition of C. E. Wilson and 37 others, residents of Kennebec County, asking that Fifteen Mile Stream and its tributaries in Albion, be closed to trout fishing for four years;

Petition of W. W. Thurston and eight others, residents of Cumberland County, asking that the law which prohibits fishing in Forest Lake in the towns of Cumberland, Windham and Gray, be repealed;

Petition of Fred C. Dunlap and 12 others, residents of Pittsfield and vicinity, asking that the tributaries to Sibley Pond, in Canaan and Pittsfield, Somerset County, be closed to all fishing except for suckers;

Petition of M. M. Grant and 38 others, residents of Waldo County, asking that Meadow Brook and its tributaries, situated in Stockton Springs and Prospect, be closed to fishing;

Petition of A. W. Walker and 18 others, citizens of Oxford County, asking for additional restrictions upon fishing in Shagg, Abbott and Little Concord Ponds, in the towns of Woodstock and Sumner, Oxford County;

Petition of A. O. Fish and 37 others, citizens of Maine, relating to the taking of pickerel in Baskahegan Lake and Stream and the tributaries to said Stream;

Petition of Oliver Dole and 52 others, citizens of Maine, asking for the passage of a resident hunter's license law;

Petition of G. W. Stearns of Millinocket, and 90 others, in favor of a resident hunter's license law;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Harry Merrill and 75 others;

LeRoy B. Nason and ten others;

Charles C. Chadbourne of Sanford, and 114 others;

Stillman F. Barker and 34 others;

Charles C. Cole of Kennebunk and 14 others;

George F. Snow and 43 others, citizens of Androscoggin and Kennebec Counties;

Almon F. Johnson of East Brownfield and 23 others;

Petition of C. A. Skillings and 17 others, residents of Piscataquis County, asking that Whetstone Pond in Piscataquis County be closed to ice fishing;

Remonstrances of C. R. Scales and George B. Fogg and 72 others, residents of Piscataquis County, against closing Whetstone Pond in Piscataquis County, to ice fishing;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to enable Newcastle Lumber Company to erect and maintain piers and booms in Big Wood Pond in Somerset County;"

Petition of M. L. Hopkins and 16 others, residents of Lincoln County, asking for a law to prohibit the throwing of sawdust and other mill waste into Dyer's River, in Lincoln County;

Were referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act relating to the records of instruments relating to real estate in the County of Knox, now recorded in other counties;"

Bill "An Act to abolish the January term of the Supreme Judicial Court for the County of Washington;"

Bill "An Act to grant a new charter to the city of Bangor;"

Petition of city of Bath for an Act to create the Bath Water District, with draft of a bill;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to authorize Mousam Water Company to increase its capital stock;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 522 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, establishing the Sanford Municipal Court, as amended by Chapter 340 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln Light and Power Company;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln Sewerage Company;"

Petition of Galen M. Woodcock, M. D., and 35 other physicians of Penobscot County, for passage of an Act to procure State registration for nurses;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Ida Washburne and 57 other nurses of Penobscot County;

C. H. Stevens, M. D., and six other physicians of Waldo County;

Bessie Cox Lowell and five other-trained nurses of Belfast;
Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve for an appropriation for traveling libraries suitable for high schools in towns having no public libraries,
Was referred to the Committee on Library.

Bill "An Act to extend the time in which the Maine Title Insurance Company is authorized to commence business;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to appointment of inspector of buildings;"

Were referred to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Bill "An Act to regulate the construction of mausoleums or tombs to be used for permanent burial,"

Was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act providing for clerk hire for the Register of Deeds in Oxford County;"

Bill "An Act relating to the compensation of justices of the Supreme Judicial Court;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 69 of Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the remuneration of Deputy Sheriffs;"

Were referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Petition of Palmer A. Twambly and 55 others, relating to amending lobster law,

Was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act for the protection of forests on the Island of Mount Desert,"

Was referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Resolve in favor of altering and enlarging the State Prison at Thomaston,

Was referred to the Committee on State Prison.

Resolve to amend Article 22 of the Constitution, relating to limitations of municipal indebtedness,

Was referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Bill "An Act to change the name of Mark Island, lying in Penobscot Bay, in the County of Hancock, about two miles east-southeast of Dark Harbor in Islesboro in the County of Waldo, and in latitude 44° 15' 30" N. and longitude 68° 52' W., to Resolution Island,"

Was referred to the Committee on Towns.

Resolve in favor of citizens of Concord and vicinity to aid in repairing road;

Resolve in favor of a roadway in Townships Nos. 5 and 6, ninth range, N. W. P., in County of Piscataquis;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Resolve in favor of repairing County Road leading through Brewer, Holden and Dedham to Ellsworth,

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Was tabled for printing pending reference to a committee.

Resolve in favor of the town of Harmony for a bridge across Higgins Brook;

Petitions in favor of repairing County Road leading through Brewer, Holden, and Dedham to Ellsworth;

Petition of Royden V. Brown and 50 others of Concord and vicinity for appropriation to aid in repairing road;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

The following order was presented by Mr. SMITH of Hampden:

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that a Special Joint Committee of three on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, be appointed to inquire into the tariff rates, rules and regulations, now in vogue among the steam railways in Maine; to ascertain the methods whereby their present capitalization was obtained and what portion of the same may be watered stock; to make diligent inquiry into the apparent depreciation of their stocks and bonds, and the cause or causes to which the same may be attributed; to compare the amounts paid at the present time with those of the past by the railroads for salaries and attorneys' fees; to ascertain the past and present business relations between the Boston and Maine Railroad and the Maine Central Railroad; to ascertain to what extent the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad has been,

or is now an interested party in the Maine railroads; to ascertain whether or not any of the Maine railroads have been, or are now being, aided by any of the Wall Street banking firms; and for the purpose of carrying out the objects of this order, the Committee is hereby authorized to employ counsel and a stenographer, and to summon witnesses to appear and produce books, papers, and other documents, and to give evidence pertinent to the inquiry with which the Committee is charged. This Committee is empowered to sit during the vacation of the Legislature and to report the results of its findings to this Legislature or a subsequent Legislature.

On further motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden,
The order was tabled for printing pending passage.

The Speaker read the following communication:

*To the Honorable the House of Representatives for the State
of Maine assembled:*

At an election held by the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians at Peter Dana's Point, October 13, and at Pleasant Point, October 15, 1914, for the purpose of electing a Representative to the Legislature for the years 1915 and 1916.

Mr. Frank N. Francis of Pleasant Point, having received a majority of all the votes cast for a candidate for that office, was declared to be the legally chosen member of his Tribe to represent them in the State Legislature, and this certificate shall be his credential.

(Signed) JUSTIN E. GOVE,
Agent Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians.

Dated at Perry, Maine, this 15th day of January, A. D. 1915.
Above communication accepted and placed on file.

Mr. Francis then appeared, and took his seat in the House as Representative of the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians.

Mr. THOMBS from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought to pass" on bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Monson Water Company."

The report was accepted and the accompanying bill ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. BESSE from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on resolve in favor of repair of highway in Caratunk Plantation, reported the same in a new draft under the same title.

Same gentleman from same Committee, on resolve in favor of the construction of road in the town of Moscow, reported the same in a new draft under the same title.

Same gentleman from same Committee, on resolve in favor of repair of the river road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset, reported the same in a new draft under the same title.

These reports were accepted, and accompanying bill and resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

On motion of Mr. THIBODEAU of Fort Kent,
Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Thursday.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk*.

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, February 4, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Hope of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Holy Innocents' Home for Infants in the city of Portland,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for renovating the second and third male wings of stone building;

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for repair and improvement of Chapel Building;

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for renovating the heating and ventilating plant and installing a hot water circulating system in central plant;

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for repairs on Chase Island Wharf;

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for Nurses' Home;

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for maintenance and support for the years 1915 and 1916;

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital to complete furnishings for third female wing;

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for a machine shop and equipment;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Insane Hospitals;

Bill "An Act to provide for a commission to be known as the People's Water Rights and Power Commission of the State of Maine,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act to require the setting of permanent bounds at the angles of lands conveyed;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 71, Chapter 83, of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 24 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to attachments;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 46 of the Public Laws of 1907, and Chapters 70 and 257 of the Public Laws of 1909, relative to the employment of women and children,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Mount Vernon Water and Electric Company;"

Petition of Mollie Stoddard and eight other trained nurses of Washington County for passage of an act to procure State Registration for nurses;

Petition of Sarah L. Hunter and 17 other physicians of Washington County for same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Michel B. Daly of Portland;

Resolve granting a military pension to Elias Lyon;

Resolve in favor of Jesse Bachelder;

Petition of Everett H. Morse and 23 others of South Montville Grange, No. 271, of South Montville, in favor of the Act for the relief of the blind residents of Maine;

Petition of Thaddeus Hodgkins and 17 others of Lamoine Grange, No. 264, of Lamoine, in favor of same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Pensions.

Resolve for the improvement of the State Park on the easterly side of State Street,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Bill "An Act to amend section 1 of Chapter 119 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the compensation of county attorneys,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1911, relative to the better protection of forests from fire,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Petition of Sarah W. Roberts of Portland and 11 others in favor of reformatory for women;

Petition of Annie E. Daggett and 11 others of Portland in favor of same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Prison.

Bill "An Act amendatory of Sections 27 and 28 of Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones, and other public utilities,"

Came from the Senate recommitted in non-concurrence to the Committee on Reference of Bills, and by the House was recommitted in concurrence to the Committee on Reference of Bills.

Petition of E. H. Grose and 31 others in favor of widening and straightening the highway in the Plantations of Dallas and Lang in Franklin County;

Petition of E. H. Grose and 31 others in favor of same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Resolve in favor of the Maine Seed Improvement Association,

Was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of the Lewiston and Auburn Children's Home;

Resolve in favor of the Bangor Anti-Tuberculosis Association;

Resolve in favor of the W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children at Gardiner;

Petition of Fred S. Howard and 25 others of Mt. Cutler Grange, No. 152, for W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children at Gardiner;

Petitions of the following for same:

H. O. Saunders and 11 others of Sweden Grange, No. 134;

S. J. Spaulding and 29 others of Mountain Grange, No. 164;

J. E. Conant and five others of Rockemeka Grange, No. 109;

W. P. Gammon and 15 others of Ridlonville, Oxford County;

J. H. Hobart and 37 others of Willow Grange, No. 366;

Harry L. Jones and 17 others of Stevens Mill Grange, No. 294;

A. T. Barker and 12 others of Norland Grange, No. 319;

E. P. Ramsdell and 38 others of East Hebron Grange, No. 300;

J. R. Danforth and 31 others of Evening Star Grange, No. 183;

Albert Beliveau and 72 others of Rumford;

E. J. Webber and 27 others of Maple Grange, No. 187;

Herbert Barter and 14 others of Wiscasset Grange, No. 373;

W. P. Perry and 23 others of Norway Grange, No. 45;

W. W. Perkins and 12 others of Lone Mountain Grange, No. 131;

Matthew McCarthy and 74 others of Rumford;

A. J. Murray and 36 others of Canton;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 48 of the Public Laws of 1905 and Chapter 122 of the Public Laws of 1913, in relation to accounting for and expenditure of school funds;"

Bill "An Act to provide for the distribution of State School funds;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 88 of Chapter 15 of the Re-

vised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 48 of the Public Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 48 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 190 of the Public Laws of 1909, as amended by Chapter 23 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to school holidays;”

Resolve in favor of the town of Newfield for the payment of additional State School funds for the year 1912;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Bill “An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to night hunting;”

Petition of A. A. Bartlett and 193 other residents of Mt. Desert Island, asking that said Island be opened to deer hunting from November 15 to December 15 of each year,—one deer to be allowed to a person in one season;

Petition of L. R. Fellows of Fayette and 35 others, asking that Tilton, Davis and Basin Ponds, in Kennebec County, be closed to all ice fishing;

Petition of F. W. Wright and 59 others, residents of South Paris and vicinity, asking for the passage of a resident hunter’s license law;

Petitions of the following in favor of same;

C. F. Woodard and 32 others, citizens of Maine; John M. Douglass and 67 others, citizens of Maine; C. A. Judkins and 80 others, citizens of Maine; Fred Henderson of Jackman and 44 others; James H. Hudson and 16 others, residents of Guilford;

Petition of John A. Story and 43 other residents of Grand Lake Stream, Washington County, asking for a law to permit the taking of white perch in Grand, Junior, Compass, Dobsis and tributary lakes, for same;

Petition of F. C. Barton and 53 other residents of Bradley and vicinity, in the county of Penobscot, asking that the law permitting the taking of salmon with drift nets on the Penob-

scot River, from the Waterworks Dam at Bangor, to Seboeis River, be restored;

Petition of J. F. Sprague of Dover, and 46 other residents of Maine, in favor of a resident hunting license law;

Remonstrance of Asa Robinson and 74 others of Oxford County against the passage of the resident hunter's act;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Resolve in aid of navigation on Sebec Lake,

Was referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act amending Section 12 of Chapter 17 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 31 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the registration of physicians and surgeons;"

Bill "An Act in relation to certain rights and liabilities of husband and wife;"

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to establish a minimum wage for State House employees,"

Was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to extend the rights, powers and privileges of the Barrows Falls Light and Power Company;"

Petition of Frank McInnes and 201 others, citizens of Lisbon, in favor of an Act to authorize the town of Lisbon to supply gas and electricity;

Petition of Helen M. Jones and 82 other nurses in Cumberland County for passage of an act to procure State registration for nurses;

Petitions of the following for same:

Carl M. Robinson, M. D., and 104 other physicians of Cumberland County;

A. Reynolds, M. D., and nine other physicians of Farmington;

Annie Gilliss Davidson and four other nurses of Fort Fairfield;

Amber A Mills and three other nurses of Caribou;

Charles F. Thomas, Jr., M. D., and 6 other physicians of Caribou;

H. F. Kalloch, M. D., and 5 other physicians of Fort Fairfield;

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve in favor of a history of Pemaquid,

Was referred to the Committee on Library.

Bill "An Act providing for punishment of offenses against habitations and other buildings;"

Bill "An Act prohibiting the rebating of premiums of fire insurance;"

Bill "An Act relating to cancellation of insurance agent's license for over-insurance;"

Bill "An Act relating to qualifications of insurance agents;"

Bill "An Act providing licenses for adjusters of fire losses;"

Were referred to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Resolve in favor of Annie L. Durham of Belfast,

Resolve providing a State pension for Hannah M. Condon;

Petition of W. E. Hadley and 22 others of Mountain View Grange, of Eden, Maine, in favor of the Act for the relief of the blind residents of Maine;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Leslie T. Candage and 6 others of Massapaqua Grange, No. 477, of South Bluehill;

G. M. Allen and 20 others of Sedgwick Grange, No. 24 of Sedgwick;

John E. Dority and 19 others of Castine Grange No. 250, of Castine;

Jedediah Seavey and 22 others of Floral Grange, No. 158, of North Bucksport;

H. T. Crockett, Master, and 31 others of North Haven Grange, No. 496, of North Haven;

Harry A. Swift and 5 others of Highland Grange, No. 387, of Warren;

Earle Ludwick and 23 others of Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 274, of Rockland;

A. R. Cousins and 5 others of Rainbow Grange, No. 203, of North Brooksville;

Winslow L. Robinson and 33 others of St. George Grange, No. 421, of St. George;

Perley Perry and 7 others of George's Valley Grange, No. 196, of Appleton;

Reuel W. Barrett and 5 others of Farmington Grange, No. 12, of Farmington;

Cliff Maxwell and 8 others of Blue Mountain Grange, No. 400, of Weld;

Were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Portland,"
Was referred to the Portland Delegation.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 118 of the Public Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act relating to the compensation of Clerks of Courts, Cumberland County,'"

Was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Petition of G. B. Richardson and 37 others for enactment of a law to prevent seining for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries,

Was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act for the prompt payment of poll taxes,"
Was referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Resolve in favor of widening and otherwise repairing a road in the town of Abbot and County of Piscataquis;

Resolve in favor of building a road around Cook Hill in the town of Jackson;

Resolve in favor of the town of Howland to aid in maintaining a bridge across the Piscataquis River in the town of Howland;

Resolve in favor of the towns of Enfield and Howland for repairing bridge across Penobscot River;

Resolve in favor of Jerusalem and Crocker Townships in Franklin County, for the repair and permanent improvement of highways;

Resolve in favor of repairing a highway in the town of Solon;

Resolve in favor of the town of Howland for maintenance of Seboeis bridge;

Petition of the Selectmen of Stockton Springs in favor of resolve for rebuilding a section of Marsh Hill road in Stockton Springs;

Petition of Frank L. Tyler and 37 others of Waldo County in favor of resolve for rebuilding a section of the Marsh Hill road in the town of Stockton Springs;

Petitions of the following for same:

S. B. Merrithew and 67 others of Waldo County;

O. S. Ellis and 80 others of Penobscot County;

F. L. Blanchard and 18 others of Waldo County;

Petition of G. W. Blanchard and 22 others in favor of an appropriation for the purpose of assisting in building a State road from Jackman through Long Pond Pl. to Kineo;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Abiam Newton and 32 others;

U. S. Moore and 42 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. GALLAGHER of Bangor,

ORDERED, That, after the present week, the Clerk of the House cause to be prepared a calendar for each daily session, specifying the various work allotted for each day, for the use of the members and officers of the House and Senate, and that the number of calendars printed for each day be 250.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Monson Water Company;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Eastern Maine Railroad;"

Were read twice and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Resolve in favor of repair of the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset, in the part thereof known as the John Rowe Ledge;

Resolve in favor of repair of highway in Caratunk Plantation:

Resolve in favor of the construction of road in the town of Moscow;

Were read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

ORDERED, The House concurring, that the Secretary of the Senate be directed and instructed to inform the State Printer and the State Binder that this legislature is the sole constitutional judge of the necessity, character, quantity and time limit of its printing; that its determination of these questions is final and not subject to the review of any other department of government; that the Legislature now in session has not delegated to any person or department, outside of the Legislature, any authority or control over its Legislature printing and binding, and that, in the matter of Legislative printing and binding, the State Printer and the State Binder are expected to promptly respect, obey and execute the orders of the Legislature.

Which was tabled in the House February 3,

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,
Was taken from the table.

Mr. CONNERS of Bangor moved to indefinitely postpone the order.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer, called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the order was carried by a vote of 79 to 70.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Greeley	Picher
Bernier	Greenleaf	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Haraden	Pierce (Houlton)
Bourque	Haskell	Plummer
Brawn	Hill	Pollard
Brown (Auburn)	Hobbs	Roberts
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Hodgkins	Robinson
Chadbourne	Holt (Skowhegan)	Russell (Lewiston)
Clifford	Jameson	Small
Colcord	Leader	Smith
Connellan	Lewis	Tabbutt
Connors	Libby	Tate
Corliss	Lord	Thibodeau
Currier	Maxwell	Trafton
Davis	McCarty	Turner
Descoteaux	McCorrison	Ward
Douglass	McCurdy	Wasgatt
Drapeau	McIntire	Watts
Durgain	Michaud	Webb
Edwards	Millett	Welch
Fossett	Mulligan	Wheeler
Gallagher	Mullin	Wilkins
Gerrish	Neilon	Wilson
Gilmour	Newell	Woodman
Goldthwait	Noyes	Wyman—79
Gooding	Peabbles	
Goodwin	Perkins	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Erskine	Morse
Allen	Evans	Nicholas
Ames	Fay	O'Connell
Averill	Ford	Perham
Beal	Gould	Peterson
Benn	Grant	Ranney
Besse	Greaton	Ricker
Blake (Oakland)	Greenlaw	Russell (Alfred)
Bradbury	Hanson (Saco)	Ryder
Bragdon	Hanson (Sanford)	St. Clair (Calais)
Brann	Harper	St. Clair (Rockland).
Bussey	Hart	Sanborn
Carson	Higgins	Snow
Chaplin	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Thombs
Chamberlin	Jordan	Tobey
Clement	Lawrence	Towle
Cobb	Littlefield	Tuttle
Coffin	Lombard	Varney
Daigle	Mansir	Washburn
Danforth	McKinley	Waterhouse
Dilling	McNally	Wescott
Drummond	Meador	Wise—70
Dutton	Mitchell	
Ellis	Morrison	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Bonney Campbell—2

On motion of Mr. WATTS of South Thomaston,
Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Friday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Evans of Gardiner.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 54 of Chapter 125 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to cruelty of animals,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Asylum of Portland, Maine,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

State Auditor's Report for the years 1913 and 1914:

Resolve in favor of Gorham P. Grant of Winterport for refund of money paid in lieu of military service in the late War of the Rebellion,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Claims.

ORDERED, The House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn it be to meet Tuesday forenoon, February 9, at ten o'clock,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence. This was received out of order.

Resolve in favor of Raymond Fish Hatchery to provide for additional feeding pools;

Resolve for the purpose of operating the fish hatcheries and

feeding stations for fish and for the protection of fish, game and birds, and for printing the report of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game;

Resolve in favor of Maine State Museum;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital to appropriate five thousand dollars for the purchase of cows,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Insane Hospitals.

Resolve in aid of navigation on Rangeley Lake, Moose-lucmeguntic Lake and Cupsuptic Lake,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Petition of Katherine Donovan and 11 other nurses of Knox County for passage of an act to procure State registration for nurses;

Petitions of the following for the same;

W. M. Spear, M. D., and 24 other physicians of Knox County;

Karl Buckenridge, D. O., and 16 other physicians of Sagadahoc County;

Adeline B. Blair and 10 other trained nurses of Sagadahoc County;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Petition of C. E. Gregg and 14 others of Penobscot Grange, No. 388, P. of H., of Glencove, Maine, in favor of the Act for the relief of the blind residents of Maine;

Petition of Charles A. Simmons and 14 others of South Hope Grange, No. 318, of South Hope, Maine, in favor of same;

Resolve providing a State Pension for Frances H. Orrok;
Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Pensions.

Resolve in favor of the purchase of portrait of the late

General Joshua L. Chamberlain, a former governor of this State,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Resolve providing for a laboratory building for the State Board of Health,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 2 of the Public Laws of 1911, declaring a close time on scallops;"

Petition of J. W. Anderson and 12 others for the repeal of Chapter 87 of the Special Laws of 1903, relating to lobster fishing;

Petition of E. H. Young and 31 others for the repeal of Chapter 87 of the Special Laws of 1903, relating to lobster fishing;

Were referred in concurrence to the committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, relating to taxation as amended by Chapter 179 of the Public Laws of 1911,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Taxation.

To amend Sections 36, 37 and 40 of Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, and particularly the manufacture and sale of cider,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Temperance.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 79 of the Laws of 1905, and as further amended by Chapter 143 of the Laws of 1907, relating to boundaries of ways;"

Resolve in favor of the town of Trescott to aid in repairing its highways;

Resolve in favor of aid for construction of a highway bridge across Allagash River, in Allagash Plantation;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Mr. EMERY from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought to pass" on bill "An Act to appropriate moneys for the payment of salaries fixed by law, for the year 1915."

Mr. LEARY from the Committee on Pensions reported "ought to pass" on bill "An Act construing Chapter 93, Public Laws of 1913, relative to the retirement of veterans of the Civil War in the service of the State."

The reports were accepted in concurrence, bills read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Mr. HERRICK from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of preserving the life of the fish in the several fish hatcheries and for the temporary operation of the hatcheries and feeding stations for fish in this State and for the protection of fish, game and birds.

The report was accepted in concurrence, resolve read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Resolve for further improvement in the methods of marketing the farm products and purchasing supplies for the farm,
Was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of the Daughters of Wisdom for maintenance;

Resolve in favor of the Board of Dental Examiners;

Resolve in favor of Edgar S. Fossett, Secretary of Committee on State Prison;

Petition of Morrill A. Totman and 13 others for W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children at Gardiner, Maine;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Clara J. Turner and 24 others;

Mrs. Harriet R. Perry and 20 others;

Ellsworth E. Peacock and 15 others;

H. E. Foster and 55 others;

Lillian M. Libby and 58 others;

J. H. Hupper and 18 others;

Winslow L. Robinson and 12 others;

Rev. Rodney F. Johonnot and 76 others;

Rev. George S. Robinson and 53 others;

B. H. Johnson and 14 others;

Mrs. Frances Smiley and six others;

Rev. C. L. Banghart and 46 others;

Rev. Charles H. Temple and 34 others;

Rev. A. D. Paul and 31 others;

Lillian B. Curtis and 44 others of Riverview Grange, No. 449;

W. H. Esang and 15 others;

W. R. Pettingill and 37 others;

C. H. Oakes, M. D., and 23 others;

Rev. Charles E. Brooks and 50 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the town of Castine for reimbursement of money spent in excess of a State road appropriation;

Resolve in favor of the town of Castine, for reimbursement of money spent in support of Terence O'Riley, a State pauper;

Resolve in favor of Samuel D. Erskine, Moses Erskine, Wilbur B. Tibbetts, Elmer H. Boynton and Delbert Fowles;

Were referred to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relat-

ing to fishing in the Davis Ponds, in Guilford and Willimantic, in the County of Piscataquis;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to closed season on black bass in Damariscotta Lake in the County of Lincoln;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Davis Stream and Monson Pond Stream, in the County of Piscataquis;"

Bill "An Act to prohibit the use of fire-arms upon Megunticook Lake and adjacent waters and tributaries, in Knox and Waldo Counties, and upon the shores thereof;"

Resolve providing for the screening of Jones Pond in Gouldsboro, Hancock County;

Resolve to provide for screening the outlet to Schoodic Lake;

Petition of M. M. Tracy and 19 others, residents of the State of Maine, asking for a law to prohibit the trapping of bears;

Petition of B. F. Kyle and 15 others, residents of Patten, Sherman and vicinity, asking that a law be enacted prohibiting the trapping of bears;

Petition of H. E. Joy and 13 others, citizens of Maine, asking for the passage of a resident hunter's license law:

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Resolve in favor of buoys and lights on Sebago Lake, Songo River, Bay of Naples and Long Lake;

Was referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 135 of the Private and Special Laws of 1875, entitled 'An Act to establish a Municipal Court in the city of Auburn,' as amended by Chapter 186 of the Private and Special Laws of the same year, Chapter 51 of the Private and Special Laws of 1881, and Chapter 152 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891, Chapter 62 of the

Private and Special Laws of 1895, and Chapter 229 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903;"

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Millinocket to own and maintain an electric lighting and power plant;"

Petition of Laura B. Darling, President Equal Suffrage League of Gardiner, Maine, in favor of equal suffrage;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act amending Chapter 241 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, entitled 'An Act to supply the town of Lisbon with pure water,'"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act requiring reports from property owners in case of fire and fixing liability of owners under certain conditions;"

Bill "An Act relating to the adjustment and payment of fire losses;"

Were referred to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Resolve in favor of Alonzo J. Nevers;

Resolve in favor of Sarah A. Robinson of Mount Vernon;

Resolve providing a State pension for Arthur H. Murch;

Were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to allow transportation companies to issue free or reduced rate transportation to their employees holding State, County or Municipal offices, except such travels as are paid by the State, or County or Municipality;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Inter-Urban Ferry Company;"

Bill "An Act for the protection of travelers at grade crossings;"

Were referred to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the compensation of fish wardens,"

Was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Resolve to maintain the State Forest Nursery and to encourage reforestation of the waste lands of Maine;

Resolve for further public instruction in forestry;

Were referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 16 of Chapter eight of the Revised Statutes, relating to the enumeration of poultry;"

Bill "An Act to amend Sub-Section 5, of Section six of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, relating to taxation of live-stock;"

Were referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Petition of Reuel W. Norton and 103 others asking for passage of bill dividing town of Kennebunkport and incorporating town of North Kennebunkport;

Remonstrance of Henry Brown and 27 others against any division of the town of Bristol;

Remonstrance of N. J. Hanna and 51 others against any division of the town of Bristol;

Remonstrance of Frederick Smith and 45 others from South Bristol against same;

Remonstrance of W. P. Fossett and 53 others against same;
Were referred to the Committee on Towns.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Eastport Bridge;"

Bill "An Act to enable the County of Sagadahoc to rebuild Merrymeeting Bay Bridge;"

Resolve in favor of the town of Crystal to aid in the building of a bridge over Fish Stream in said town;

Resolve in favor of the town of Merrill to aid in building a bridge;

Resolve in favor of the Aroostook River bridge in the town of Ashland;

Resolve for aid in building a highway bridge across Carra-bassett River in Kingfield Village, in the County of Franklin;

Petition of George W. Brewster of Dedham, Maine, and 38 others in favor of improvement of highway from Bangor to Ellsworth through the towns of Brewer, Holden, and Dedham;

Petition presented by J. W. Hart and 25 others for same;

Petition of D. C. Smith and 29 others in favor of appropriation for road in the town of Steuben;

Petition of George L. Leach and 64 others in favor of appropriation for road in town of Penobscot;

Petition of M. C. Devereux and 105 others in favor of appropriation for road in town of Penobscot;

Petition presented by H. M. Hart and 51 others for the improvement of highway from Bangor to Ellsworth through Brewer, Holden and Dedham;

Petition of W. M. Nash and 56 others for the improvement of highway from Bangor to Ellsworth through Brewer, Holden and Dedham;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Eastern Maine Railroad" (House Document Number 47);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Monson Water Company" (House Document Number 54);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in Third Reading, and their reports thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The bills were tabled pending third reading.

Resolve in favor of construction of road in the town of Moscow (House Document Number 53);

Resolve in favor of repair of highway in Caratunk Plantation (House Document Number 55);

Resolve in favor of repair of the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset, in the part thereof

known as the John Rowe Ledge (House Document Number 56);

Were reported from Committee on bills in the third reading, and their reports thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The resolves were then tabled pending second reading.

On motion of Mr. MULLIN of Lincolnville,

Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. Tuesday, February 9.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Stanley of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Commissioners of Pharmacy,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Memorial to Congress relative to retirement and pensions of Civil Service employees,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of black bass in Sebago Lake;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relat-

ing to the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Sea and Shore Fisheries;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the taking of smelts in Sebago Lake and its tributaries for sale;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 40 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the closed season on fur-bearing animals;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 39 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of beaver;”

Bill “An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the duties of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the duties of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game;”

Petition of F. W. Briggs and 47 others, citizens of the State of Maine, asking for the passage of a resident hunter’s license law;

Petition of Martin L. Fuller and 73 others, citizens of the State of Maine, for same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill “An Act additional to Chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes in relation to the voluntary admission of patients to State Hospitals,”

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Insane Hospitals,”

Bill “An Act to amend Chapter 211 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to the Congregational Conference Society of Maine;”

Petition of Mrs. F. T. Bradstreet and 12 others of Gardiner against granting suffrage to women;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Mrs. Edville G. Abbott and 15 others of Portland;

Mrs. W. F. Clapp and 133 others of Portland;

Mrs. Alice C. Furbish and 32 others of Portland;

Mrs. L. M. Leighton and nine others of Portland;

Mrs. William T. Cobb and 18 others of Rockland;

Mrs. William Putnam and 11 others of Portland;

Mrs. W. R. Pillsbury and 18 others of Rockland;

Mrs. William Anderson and 16 others of Portland;

Mrs. Clarence Hale and 19 others;

Petition of William Thurston and 28 others of Tremont, relative to opening a section of road in the western part of the town of Mount Desert, to automobiles;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Henry Lawrence and 25 others of Tremont;

J. D. Phillips and 38 others of Southwest Harbor;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Resolve providing for the completion of the book of plans of Knox County by adding the plan of Isle au Haut and certain copies of such plans in the Massachusetts Archives,

Was referred in concurrence to the Knox County Delegation.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 47 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the enforcement of a mortgagee's lien for insurance;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Maine Fire Insurance Company;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 211 of the Public Laws of 1913, regulating the sale of morphine and other hypnotic or narcotic drugs,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act to repeal the provisions of Chapter 87 of the Special Laws of 1903, relating to the taking of lobsters within three miles of the islands of Matinicus and Criehaven,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act requiring the disposition of inflammable material along railroads and highways of the State,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Resolve in favor of the State School for Boys at South Portland for general maintenance;

Resolve for the permanent improvement of buildings and for increasing water supply at the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell;

Resolve to provide for the construction and equipment of a Central School Building at the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell;

Resolve in favor of the State School for Boys at South Portland for permanent improvements and Insurance;

Resolve for general maintenance of the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Resolve in favor of Sandy River Plantation in the County of Franklin for building a new road and bridge in said Plantation;

Petition of G. W. Stetson and 54 others for opening a new County Road and building a bridge in Sandy River Plantation, in Franklin County;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

ORDERED, The House concurring, that the Committee on Library inquire into cost of restacking and increasing the capacity of the State Library, and report by resolve or otherwise,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Dead River Log Driving Company, as amended by Chapter 233 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903,"

Was accepted in concurrence, bill read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Report of Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought to pass" on resolve "appropriating money to assist the town of Whitefield in building a bridge across the Sheepscot River at North Whitefield;"

Report of Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought to pass" on resolve "in favor of repair of bridges in the town of Dresden;"

Were accepted in concurrence, resolves read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Petition of Caribou Grange, Number 138, relating to Aroostook Farm,

Was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of Arthur C. Smith, Secretary of the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, for expenses of that Committee on a visit to the Boys' School;

Resolve in favor of the Oldtown-Orono Anti-Tuberculosis Association, for the treatment of tuberculosis among the Penobscot Indians, and for charitable purposes in the treatment of patients by said Association;

Petition of H. F. Milligan and 14 others for W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children at Gardiner;

Petitions of the following for the same:

F. H. Brown and 24 others;

J. S. Hunt and 14 others;

Mrs. H. S. Fowler and 33 others;

Arno Little and 8 others;

Mrs. Emma A. Weeks and members of Mt. Vernon Grange,
No. 429;

Alfred R. Merrill and 52 others;

A. P. Haskell and 14 others;

Ralph E. Manson and 32 others;

Mrs. D. H. Buxton and 32 others;

Edith M. Gerry and 79 others;

M. D. Poole and 17 others;

John Elmer and 8 others;

Rev. Charles F. Smith and 58 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and
Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the town of Mexico,

Was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act to establish a Board of Education for the City
of Bath;"

Resolve reimbursing Bluehill-George Stevens Academy for
money expended for a secondary school in the town of Blue-
hill;

Resolve in favor of Higgins Classical Institute;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act to regulate fishing in Whetstone Pond, so
called, situated in the town of Kingsbury and in the town of
Blanchard, in the County of Piscataquis;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 43 of Chapter 32 of the

Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of game birds;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 38 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the close season on wild hares or rabbits;"

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 12 of Chapter 227 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to voting in Bayville Village Corporation;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Bath Water District;"

Bill "An Act to correct and protect helpless, neglected and offending children, to be known as 'The Children's Act;'"

Bill "An Act to abolish payment of salaries to Judges of Supreme and Superior Courts after their retirement;"

Bill "An Act to provide for the inspection of all public or private hospitals, reformatory homes, houses of detention, convents, asylums, sectarian seminaries, schools or institutions, by the commissioners of the county in which such institutions are situated, by the grand jury thereof, or by any person or persons appointed by a judge of a court of record, upon a petition signed by 20 persons of said county;"

Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine and New Brunswick Electrical Power Company, Limited, to exercise certain powers within the State of Maine;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes, relating to nuisances;"

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to legalize and confirm the incorporation and doings of the Congregational Church Society of Stonington, and to change the name of said Corporation;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 114 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to sales of merchandise in bulk to include other trade assets;"

Petition of Marcella A. Cullen and 59 other trained nurses of York County for passage of an act to procure State registration for nurses;

Petitions of the following for the same:

H. W. Hurd, M. D., and 46 other physicians of York County;

Emma B. Day and two other trained nurses of Lincoln County;

W. H. Parsons and eight other physicians of Lincoln County;

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve in favor of monuments in memory of Benedict Arnold's expedition through Maine to Quebec,

Was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Petition of B. G. Bickford and 25 others of Schoodic Grange, No. 408, of Winter Harbor, Maine, in favor of the Act for the relief of the blind residents of Maine;

Petition of W. E. Francis and 14 others of Cherryfield Grange, No. 256, of Cherryfield, Maine, for same;

Were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 17 and 20 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, 1903, as amended, relating to the measurement of lobsters, and to add thereto Section 29 as hereinafter set forth,"

Was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Petition of the Pythian Sisters, Baptist Church and two other organizations of North Haven for the establishment of a reformatory for women,

Was referred to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Bill "An Act to permit Home Rule in the imposition of the poll tax;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 8 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the prompt payment of poll taxes;"

Were referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Bill "An Act to amend various charters granted the proprietors of the Eastport Bridge and the City of Eastport, relating to the erection and maintenance of a bridge between Eastport and Perry;"

Resolve in favor of New Canada Plantation in the construction and maintenance of certain of its roads;

Resolve in favor of the Oldtown-Milford Bridge;

Resolve in favor of re-surfacing the State highway between Rockport and Camden;

Resolve in favor of the Plantations of Wallagrass and New Canada;

Resolve in favor of repairing and rebuilding the road in the town of Columbia, Washington County, from Harrington town line to the town line of Columbia Falls;

Resolve in favor of grading and surfacing hill adjacent to Garlands Brook, in the town of Mariaville;

Petition of Christopher Crossman and eight others for the repair of highway from Bangor to Ellsworth by the way of Brewer, Holden and Dedham;

Petition of Henry H. Daigle and 39 others in favor of New Canada Plantation in the construction and maintenance of its roads;

Petition of S. B. Condon and 24 others in favor of special appropriation for road in town of Penobscot;

Remonstrance of H. M. Allen and 24 others against the proposed amendment of Chapter 356 of the Private and Special Laws of 1883, relating to bridge between Orr's and Bailey's Island;

Remonstrances of the following for the same purpose:

Theodore Bullard and 46 others;

George W. Merriman and 32 others;

William Randall and 22 others;

Rt. Rev. Robert Codman and 17 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.
These papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. GERRISH of Greenville,
ORDERED, That the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game be granted the use of the Hall of Representatives for a public hearing on the afternoon and evening of Wednesday, February 17.

Mr. HIGGINS from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought to pass" in new draft, under same title, on resolve in favor of the People's Ferry Company for maintenance.

The report was accepted, and the resolve ordered printed under joint rules.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Eastern Maine Railroad" (House Document Number 47),

Was read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate. This was tabled February 5, pending third reading, on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, and was this day taken from the table on motion of same gentleman.

Resolve in favor of construction of road in the town of Moscow (House Document Number 53);

Resolve in favor of repair of highway in Caratunk Plantation (House Document Number 55);

Which were tabled on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, February 5, pending third reading, on motion of the same gentleman were taken from the table, read the second time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Resolve in favor of repairing County Road leading through Brewer, Holden and Dedham to Ellsworth,

Which was tabled by same gentleman February 3, pending reference to a committee,

Was taken from the table, and on further motion of the

same gentleman referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges. The resolve was sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Resolve in favor of repair of the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset,

Which was tabled in the House February 5, pending third reading, by Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, on motion of the same gentleman was taken from the table. The resolve was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. TABBUTT of Columbia,

Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. to-morrow, Wednesday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingston of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolutions adopted by Aroostook County Pomona Grange in favor of State experimental farm at Presque Isle;

Resolutions adopted by Presteel Grange, No. 504, Westfield. in favor of same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

Petition of M. L. Hopkins and 16 others, residents of Lincoln County, asking for a law to prohibit the throwing of sawdust and other mill waste into Dyer's River, in Lincoln County,

Returned from the Senate referred in nonconcurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game. The House receded from its vote by which it referred the Petition to the Committee on Interior Waters, and voted to refer it to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game in concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Michael Burns,

Returned from the Senate referred in nonconcurrence to the Committee on Judiciary. The House voted to recede from its vote referring the Resolve to the Committee on Claims, and voted to refer it to the Committee on Judiciary in concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Petition of Althea G. Quimby and four others in favor of the resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving political rights to women upon equal terms with men,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Petition of employees of the Aroostook Valley Electric Railroad in opposition to Senate Bill Number 11, regarding the number of hours of labor,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 121 of the Private Laws of 1911, relating to board of overseers of the poor of the City of Portland;"

Returned from the Senate referred in non-concurrence to the Portland Delegation. The House receded from its vote by which the Bill was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs, and voted to refer it to the Portland Delegation in concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Petition of Mrs. Edith L. Milliken and five other trained nurses of Somerset County for the passage of an act to procure State registration for nurses;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Ivory Lowe, M. D., and 16 other physicians of Somerset County;

Myrtie E. Taylor and 90 other trained nurses of Androscoggin County;

John Everett Cortland, M. D., and 37 other physicians of Androscoggin County;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Treasurer of Kennebec County;"

Bill "An Act providing for additional clerk hire for the Clerk of Court's Office in Kennebec County;"

Bill "An Act to provide for clerk hire in the office of Register of Probate for Kennebec County;"

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Judge of Probate for the County of Kennebec;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the tenth report of the Forest Commissioner of the State of Maine for the year 1914,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Petition of Mrs. Lillian C. Tobey and 21 others in favor of a resolve for a State Reformatory for women,

Bill "An Act to establish a reformatory for Women;"

Petitions of the following for the same:

Harriet N. Fenderson and 20 others of Farmington;

Florence Bunker Clark and 26 others of Wilton;

Mrs. Florence Marshall and 10 others of Caribou;

Elva Welts and 27 others of Caribou;

George M. Chapman of Fairfield and 16 others;

Fortnightly Club of Round Pond, by its President;

Myra V. Howe and others of Presque Isle;

Resolution adopted by the Social Club of Caribou for same;

Resolution of the Every Monday Club of Farmington for the same;

Resolution of the Tyngtown Club of Wilton for the same;

Report of the Joint Special Committee on State School for Boys, Industrial School for Girls, and the establishment of a reformatory for women;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Resolve in favor of repairing the highway from Stratton Village in the town of Eustis to Bigelow Station, all in the County of Franklin;

Petition of A. B. Sargent and 64 others, citizens of Stratton and vicinity, asking for an appropriation to aid in repairing the highway from Stratton Village to Bigelow Station in the County of Franklin;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Resolve in favor of the New England Fruit Show;

Resolve to provide for carrying out the provisions of Chapter 156 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled "An Act to regulate the packing, shipping and sale of apples;"

Resolutions by Prestile Grange, No. 504, in favor of appropriations for Aroostook experimental farm;

Resolutions by Aroostook County Pomona Grange, in favor of the same;

Were referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of the Maine Home for Friendless Boys at Portland;

Resolve in favor of York Hospital in the town of York;

Resolve in favor of the Rumford Hospital Association for maintenance;

Resolve in favor of Children's Protective Society of Maine for maintenance;

Petition of Annie C. Conant and nine others for W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children at Gardiner, Maine;

Petitions of the following for the same:

H. L. Heald and 13 others of Somerset Grange, No. 18;

A. P. Small and 24 others;

Agnes S. Jones and 19 others;

Rev. B. P. Browne and 45 others;

C. F. Daggett and 56 others;

Mrs. J. E. Osborne and 34 others;

Nat Barker, M. D., and 20 others;

C. H. Hart and 13 others of Pine Grove Grange, No. 233;

W. H. Falconer and 27 others of John F. Hill Grange, No. 393;

Charles G. McCully and 84 others;

Rev. James F. Albion and 39 others;

G. J. Palmer and 24 others of Buckfield Grange, No. 438;

Effie Jones and 33 others of Twilight Grange, No. 201;

Mrs. Clara A. Hill and 18 others;

Robie L. Watson and 21 others of Minerva Grange, No. 383;

D. S. Hilliker and 15 others of North Newport Grange, No. 195;

B. A. Sawyer and 85 others of Skowhegan Grange, No. 208;

John E. Merrill and 20 others of Eureka Grange, No. 7;

H. W. Kitchen and 13 others of Maysville Center Grange, No. 153;

M. G. Fullerton and 12 others;

Lizzie M. Lamb and 12 others;

A. W. McKeen and 12 others of Riverside Grange, No. 273;

J. I. Chipman and 11 others of Sabbathday Lake Grange,
No. 365;

Linnie B. C. Anderson and 10 others of Harraseeket
Grange, No. 9;

Daniel Brown and 27 others of Enterprise Grange, No. 48;

Miss Julia E. Trefethen and 39 others;

Elizabeth Snow and 39 others;

O. E. West and 62 others;

A. J. McNaughton and 25 others;

W. D. Kinney and 12 others;

Josiah D. Winship and 62 others of Saccarappa Grange, No.
481;

Fred Murphy and 33 others of North Somerset Grange, No.
218;

Robert T. Brady and 30 others;

E. R. Leary and 8 others of Dunstan Grange, No. 493;

Rev. R. A. Rich and 47 others;

S. E. Holden and 21 others;

N. H. Whipple and 32 others of Bingham Grange, No. 237;

Rev. Thomas B. Hatt and 54 others;

Mrs. D. H. Powell and 49 others;

Hattie L. Padham and 36 others;

H. C. Miller and 19 others of Eastern Star Grange, No. 1;

Thomas Grieve and 19 others of Halcyon Grange, No. 345;

C. H. Littlefield and 17 others of Ogunquit Grange, No. 444;

E. H. Vaughan and 43 others;

H. P. Norton and 22 others of New Portland Grange, No.
112;

- H. D. Paul and 17 others;
- Mrs. Sarah E. Safford and 49 others;
- Robert N. Miller and 40 others;
- Benjamin F. Pierce and 13 others;
- R. F. Cole and 107 others of Sunrise Grange, No. 241;
- C. C. Allen and 31 others;
- John W. Springoll and 45 others;
- G. P. Clifford and 64 others;
- J. W. H. Porter and 65 others;
- Julia Corey and 12 others of Lamoine Grange, No. 264;
- A. W. Johnson and 11 others of Stockholm Grange, No. 514;
- Mrs. Annie E. Stetson and 32 others of Caribou Grange, No. 138;
- J. J. Smart and seven others of Point Passadumkeag Grange, No. 417;
- George W. Orr and 33 others of Queen City Grange, No. 30;
- F. W. Patterson and five others of Industry Grange, No. 428;
- Melvin S. Hutchins and 24 others of North Franklin Grange, No. 186;
- Robert Gillespie and 18 others of Alexander Grange, No. 304;
- Charles W. Ingalls and 33 others of Buck's Harbor Grange No. 460;
- Rev. H. M. Purrington and 51 others;
- George W. Bulger and 44 others;
- Clinton Hill and 25 others of Eastern Star Grange, No. 473;
- James W. Libby and 7 others of Dirigo Grange, No. 98;
- Nella Bridges and 18 others of Penobscot Grange, No. 240;

Roy M. Trask and 9 others of Sheepscot Lake Grange, No. 455;

H. I. Ide and 140 others of Northern Light Grange, No. 6;

D. M. Kimball and 41 others of Morning Light Grange, No. 19;

George F. Overlock and 15 others of South Branch Grange, No. 142;

Angie B. Sweet and 26 others of Mattanawcook Grange, No. 199;

A. W. Bradbury and 9 others of Escutarsis Grange, No. 231;

W. S. Smith and 13 others of Pleasant Lake Grange, No. 370;

Everett L. York and 17 others of Mystic Tie Grange, No. 58;

J. P. Eaton and 9 others of Exeter Grange, No. 86;

A. B. Morse and 18 others of Plymouth Grange, No. 354;

Maria Bartlett and 7 others of Ashland Grange, No. 247;

I. V. Manzer and 24 others of Easton Grange, No. 159;

Scott Sanborn and 22 others of Mountain Grange, No. 331;

C. D. Robinson and nine others of Golden Sheaf Grange, No. 234;

C. E. Jewell and 28 others of Prestile Grange, No. 504;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Eastern Maine Institute at Springfield to defray expenses and obligations incurred in the conduct of the School for the school years ending July 1, 1913, and July 1, 1914;

Resolve in favor of Bridgewater Classical Academy;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act relating to the protection of deer in the towns

of York, Wells, Kittery, Eliot, South Berwick and North Berwick, in the County of York;”

Bill “An Act to provide a bounty on crows in the towns of Lubec and Trescott;”

Bill “An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Bent’s Pond, so called, in the town of New Sharon, in Franklin County, and in the town of Vienna, in Kennebec County;”

Resolutions of Mariaville Grange, No. 441, opposing the passage of any law requiring residents of this State to procure a hunting license;

Petition of J. L. Howard and 89 others favoring a law providing for a resident hunting license;

Petition of E. F. Coburn and 18 others, requesting that Pond in Rapid River be opened up to bait fishing till October 1st each year;

Petition of E. F. Coburn and 18 others, requesting that Rapid River, connecting the Richardson Lakes with the Umbagog Lake, be opened to fly fishing from September 15 to October 1, each year;

Petition of E. E. Dyer and 17 others, residents of Franklin County, in favor of closing Bent’s Pond, in Franklin and Kennebec Counties, to all fishing;

Petition of John N. McCurdy and 18 others in favor of an act to provide a bounty on crows in towns of Lubec and Trescott;

Petition of E. A. Monson and 21 others in favor of same;

Remonstrance of N. R. Leach and 15 others against any change in the fishing laws governing the Magalloway Waters;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Petition of Charles F. Stevens and 37 others to prohibit the throwing of sawdust in Concord River or any of its tributaries,

Was referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act to authorize the city of Waterville to acquire, own and maintain and operate an electric plant;"

Bill "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of Masters in Chancery to include the hearings upon libels for divorce;"

Bill "An Act authorizing Seboeis Plantation to build and maintain its roads and bridges, and to raise money therefor;"

Bill "An Act relating to Vinalhaven Lighting Company;"

Petition of Lucy A. French and 27 others in favor of an amendment giving the right of suffrage to women under the same conditions and limitations as men;

Petition of Mrs. Israel P. Butler of Portland, and 128 others, against suffrage for women;

Petitions of the following for same:

Mrs. Parker P. Burleigh, Houlton, and 35 others;

Mrs. Isaac W. Dyer, Gorham, and 75 others;

Petition of Mrs. Elizabeth Hicks and 31 others in favor of woman suffrage;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Althea G. Quimby and four others;

Mrs. Jennie P. White and 22 others of Machias;

Petition of Lillian Drisco and 33 others for amendment giving the right of suffrage to women under the same conditions and limitations as men;

Petition of Mrs. N. M. Emery and 72 others of Bar Harbor asking that the Constitutional amendment giving the right of suffrage to women be submitted to the people;

Petition of Emma H. Woodward and 29 others of Gardiner, in favor of woman suffrage;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Petition of H. M. Lawton and 33 others relative to an amend-

ment on an act before the Legislature regarding the hours of employment of women and minors;

Petition of W. J. Sawyer and five others against including "mercantile establishments" in House Bill No. 2, entitled "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors;"

Petition of J. M. Story and 16 others for same;

Petition remonstrating against House Bill No. 2, relative to the hours of employment of women and minors, by The Pattee Company and nine others;

Remonstrances of the following for the same:

Davis Dow Company, P. P. Burnham Company and 22 others;

N. G. Paine and six others;

Follansbee Wood and 13 others;

R. O. Files and 37 others of Fairfield;

C. H. McKenzie and five others;

C. O. Sawyer Company and nine others;

C. W. Wescot and 42 others;

Ridley and Flanders and nine others;

Wm. Rosenberg and 15 others;

Wilbur F. Goodwin and 14 others;

Ober and Clark of Dover and two others;

F. P. Berry and 12 others;

D. B. Kelley and three others;

M. C. Heath;

Were referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to make valid the annual town meeting of the town of Robbinston;"

Bill "An Act to require certain vehicles to carry lights at night on public highways and bridges;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 13 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 103 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the Bingham Water District;"

Petition of H. G. Emery and 36 others in favor of investigation of institutions by county commissioners or grand jurors;

Petition of Carolyn E. Kelley and 111 other trained nurses of Kennebec County for passage of an act to procure State registration for nurses;

Petition of Sylvester J. Beach, M. D., and 59 other physicians of Kennebec County for same;

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Eliza E. Philbrook of Kittery,
Was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to authorize the reorganization or consolidation of the railroad companies that constitute the Boston and Maine Railroad System;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 61 of Laws of 1891, relating to Limerock Railroad Company;"

Bill "An Act to amend charters of Thomaston Street Railway Company, Rockland Street Railway Company, and Camden and Rockport Street Railroad Company;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Waldo Street Railway Company;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Rumford Falls and Bethel Street Railway;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Androscoggin Valley Railroad Company;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Farmington-Oakland Inter-Urban Railway;"

Were referred to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Petition of Albert F. Adams and 19 others of Bowdoinham to amend Section 1 of Chapter 251 of the Special Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 28 of the Special Laws of 1909, entitled "An Act for the better protection of alewives, shad and sturgeon in the various rivers of Maine;"

Petitions of the following for the same:

Elmer G. Powers and 40 others of Topsham;

Albert M. Graves and 41 others of Topsham;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Petition of Nathaniel Tompkins and 19 others of Houlton for a State reformatory for women;

Petitions of the following for the same:

George S. Paine and 40 others;

Imogene C. Merrill and 21 others of Caratunk;

Alice M. Goodrich of Bingham and 21 others;

Woman's Club of Houlton;

Were referred to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the North Bridgton Village Corporation;"

Petition of Clinton M. Hamilton and 79 others for a division of the town of Cumberland;

Were referred to the Committee on Towns.

Resolve in favor of repairing a bridge in Drew Plantation;

Resolve to provide for repairs on the Mount Desert Toll Bridge whenever it is made a free bridge;

Resolve in favor of aid in building a highway bridge across the Sandy River, in the town of New Sharon;

Resolve in favor of Washington Plantation and Perkins

Plantation in Franklin County, for the repair and permanent improvement of highway;

Resolve in favor of the towns of Penobscot and Castine for repair of bridge and road;

Resolve in favor of repairing International Bridge between Van Buren and Saint Leonards, N. B.;

Resolve in favor of roads and bridges in Township 6, Range 7, and in Township 6, Range 8;

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the Lake Road in Oxford County;

Petition of B. B. Merrill and 41 others in favor of an appropriation of \$25,000 to be expended on the County Road leading through Brewer, Holden and Dedham to Ellsworth, Hancock County, under the direction of the Highway Commission;

Petition of Wilbur H. Ridley and 39 others of Waldo County, in favor of a resolve for rebuilding a section of the Marsh Hill Road in Stockton Springs;

Petition of Edgar E. Ring and 57 others for an appropriation for the improvement of the road leading through Brewer, Holden and Dedham, to Ellsworth;

Remonstrance of Alfred B. Snow and 20 others against the proposed amendment of Chapter 356 of the Private and Special Laws of 1883, relating to a bridge between Orr's Island and Bailey's Island;

Remonstrance of Silas S. Holbrook and 30 others in regard to same;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden,

Ordered, That the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls be granted the use of this House for a hearing on February 18, at 2.00 P. M.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,

Ordered, That the Judiciary Committee be granted the use of Representatives' Hall on the afternoon of Tuesday, February 23, for the purpose of a public hearing on the Bill entitled "An Act to grant a new charter to the City of Bangor."

Mr. PIERCE from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on bill "An Act relating to insolvent estates and amending Section 5 of Chapter 68 of the Revised Statutes."

Mr. CONNERS from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on bill "An Act relating to driving of automobiles in Camden and Lincolnville."

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions reported "ought to pass" on resolve in favor of Sibae S. Andrews for increase of pension.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on resolve in favor of Bryant Libby.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on resolve in favor of John S Gaddis.

Mr. POLLARD from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on resolve favoring an appropriation for widening the turnpike road in Camden and Lincolnville, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on resolve in favor of the Plantation of Wallagrass, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on resolve in favor of Ernest F. Merror of Hyde Park, Massachusetts.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on resolve in favor of the Plantation of New Canada.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of improving a section of the old "Military Road" in the town of Hodgdon.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of the town of Cushing for the improvement of the "back road," so called.

On motion of Mr. JAMESON of Friendship,

The Resolve accompanying this report was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Bridges. The Resolve and report were sent to the Senate.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on resolve in favor of bridge across Macwahoc Stream in Macwahoc Plantation.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The report was tabled pending acceptance.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on resolve in favor of the town of Alna.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the People's Ferry Company for maintenance (House Document Number 90),

Was read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 229 of the Private and Special Laws of 1880, entitled 'An Act incorporating the Dead River Log Driving Company' as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 233 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relative to the number of directors" (Senate Document Number 35);

Resolve appropriating money to assist the Town of Whitefield in building a bridge across the Sheepscot River (Senate Document Number 33);

Resolve in favor of the repair of bridges in the Town of Dresden (Senate Document Number 41);

Bill "An Act to appropriate moneys for the payment of salaries fixed by law for the year 1915" (Senate Document Number 27);

Bill "An Act construing Chapter 93 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the retirement of veterans of the Civil War in the service of the State" (Senate Document Number 24);

Resolve in favor of preserving the life of the fish in the several fish hatcheries and for the temporary operation of the hatcheries and feeding stations for fish in this State and for the protection of fish, game and birds (Senate Document Number 23);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, Resolves read the second time, and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Monson Water Company,"

Which was tabled February 5 pending third reading,

Was taken from the table, and on further motion of the same gentleman read the third time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The following were introduced under suspension of rules and referred to the Committee on Judiciary:

Petition of Martha L. Boynton and 71 others in favor of the Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving political rights to women upon equal terms with men;

Also petitions of the following for the same purpose:
Annie M. Frost and 18 others;

Mrs. M. K. House and 150 others;

Thomas Sims and 61 others of Gorham;

W. R. Burrill and 66 others of Fairfield and vicinity;

Miss Josephine E. Lunt and 101 others;

Elizabeth Ayer and 15 others;
Elizabeth Snow and 32 others of Lisbon and vicinity;
Alice M. Bigney and 69 others of Greenville;
Susan M. Grant and 25 others of S. Windham;
Edith M. Griffin and 24 others;
Mrs. Effie M. Davis of Corinth and 82 others;
Lydia A. Jordan and 37 others of Raymond;
Jenny Dyer and others;
Gertrude Stevens Leavitt of Portland and 42 others;
Miss Bessie Pierce and 29 others of Mars Hill and Westfield
in Aroostook County.

On motion of Mr. DRAPEAU of Brunswick,
Adjourned to 10 o'clock A. M. to-morrow, Thursday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, February 11, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Halleck of Lewiston.

Papers from the Senate.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the report of the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner for the year 1914,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve of E. F. Coburn of Middle Dam and 18 others in favor of maintaining navigation on the Upper and Lower Richardson Lake;

Resolve of S. F. Peaslee and 14 others in favor of appropriating money for the Middle Dam Carry;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act in addition to Chapter 93 of the Revised Statutes, relating to liens on land;"

Petition of Mrs. E. A. G. Stickney, East Brownfield, and 40 others, in favor of suffrage for women;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Marion Brainerd and 37 others of Augusta;

Rev. R. A. Rich and 59 others of Madison;

Althea G. Quimby of Portland and 33 others;

M. A. Burtt of Bridgewater and 23 others;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Remonstrance of Fuller Cobb Co. and 32 others against including "mercantile establishments" in House Bill No. 2,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to authorize Municipal Light and Power Company to decrease its capital stock,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act relating to the liquidation of domestic insurance companies;"

Bill "An Act relating to cancellation of fire policies without tender of return premium;"

Bill "An Act relating to protection of life in public buildings;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Petition of Frank Redington and others of Waterville in favor of a reformatory for women;

Petitions for the same by the following:

Thursday Club of Biddeford;

Jesse W. Lunt and 23 others of Biddeford;

Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Searsmont;

Current Events Club of Stockton Springs;

Belfast Traveler's Club;

Belfast Woman's Club;

Hester P. Brown and 16 others of Belfast;

Mary Hichborn and 16 others of Stockton Springs;

Annie V. Field and 13 others of Belfast;

Estelle B. Hamilton of Bangor and 40 others;

Mrs. G. D. Harlow, Bangor, and 52 others;

Emma D. Dole, Bangor, and 61 others;

Mrs. M. A. Chrysler and 40 others;

Adelaide Manser and Nellie E. Brown and 48 others;

Mrs. G. H. Garrison and 14 others of Portland and South Portland;

Ida M. Pooler and nine others of Portland;

George P. Coffin and 27 others of South Freeport;

Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Portland;

Anne Wilson Hamlin and 23 others of South Portland;

Frederick H. Jordan and ten others;

Annie Louise Lord and seven others;

Katherine C. Morrill and 23 others, members of Current Events Club of Augusta;

Matthew McCarthy, Rumford, and 12 others;
Mrs. C. A. Cole, South Paris, and 16 others;
Mrs. Solon Purington, Buckfield, and nine others;
Nancy J. Colby, Rumford Center, and 16 others;
Dial Club of Fairfield;
Woman's Club of Skowhegan;
Clineoa Club of Fairfield;
A. C. Ladd and 12 others of Fairfield;
William Folsom Morrill and 17 others of Skowhegan;
Ladies of Town of Fairfield;
Waterville Woman's Club;
Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State
School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Bill "An Act to create a crop pest commission;"

"Bill An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the manufacture, transportation and sale of dairy products and their imitations;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 60 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 98, of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture;"

Were referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of James J. Clement of Montville;

Resolve in favor of Peter Harmon of Thorndike;

Resolve in favor of Fortunat O. Michaud;

Resolve in favor of Levite V. Thibodeau;

Resolve in favor of Leonard A. Pierce, Chairman of the House Committee on Elections;

Resolve in favor of the Webber Hospital Association of Biddeford;

Resolve in favor of Maine Children's Home Society for maintenance;

Resolve in favor of the Old Town Hospital;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 119 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to Banks, Trust Companies, and Loan and Building Associations,"

Was referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Resolve in favor of the Great Northern Paper Company, asking that it be reimbursed for excess expenditure in construction of a bridge across Moose River;

Resolve in favor of estate of A. J. Cameron;

Were referred to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act in relation to the collecting and preserving of plans;"

Was referred to the Committee on Counties.

Bill "An Act to further amend Sec. 62 of Chap. 15 of Revised Statutes, as amended by Chap. 48 of the Public Laws of 1905, and by Chap. 88 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to high schools;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 34 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 173 of the Public Laws of 1911, and Chapter 78 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the employment of superintendents of schools;"

Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for the purchase of land;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Belgrade Stream, a tributary to Snow Pond, in the County of Kennebec, with petition of G. L. Learned and others in favor of same;"

Petition of George C. Orr and 24 others in favor of ice fishing in Forest Lake in Cumberland County;

Petition of E. W. Moore and 39 others in favor of law requiring non-resident fishermen to be licensed;

Petition of Fred N. Newcomb and 65 others for the enactment of a law to allow eels to be taken in Damariscotta Pond;

Petition to regulate fishing in Davis Stream and Monson Brook in Guilford, Willimantic and Monson;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act in regard to lamps upon motor boats;"

Resolve in aid of navigation on Sebec Lake;

Were referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act to create a Public Utilities Commission, prescribe its powers and duties, and provide for the regulation and control of Public Utilities;'"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 17 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 239 of the Public Laws of 1909; also to amend Sections 11, 12, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of Chapter 17 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 31 of the Public Laws of 1911; also to amend Sections 10 and 13 of said Chapter 17 of the Revised Statutes, relating to registration of physicians and surgeons;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 199 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act authorizing the City of Bath to levy assessments for street improvements;'"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Southwest Harbor Water District;"

Bill "An Act to abolish the Western Somerset Municipal Court;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 481 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, entitled 'An Act to incorporate York Harbor Village Corporation;'"

Petition of Susie B. Thompson and 13 others favoring a resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving political rights to women upon equal terms with men;

Petition of Albert I. Oliver and 28 others in favor of suffrage for women;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Mrs. Lottie Merrill Berry and 17 others;

Tacie J. Dalton and ten others;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from steam boilers and steam engines operated by incompetent persons;"

Remonstrance of S. L. Hawley and seven others of Mechanic Falls against including "mercantile establishments" in House Bill, No. 2, entitled 'An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors;'

Remonstrances of the following in regard to the same:

Fort Fairfield Dry Goods Company and 11 others;

Waterville Dry Goods Company and five others;

Hobart Pattangall Company and 14 others;

P. Raino and 31 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act and Petition to enlarge the powers of the Portland Female Charitable Society;"

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the People's Ferry Company;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate Winthrop Spring Water Company;"

Bill "An Act to revive and extend the charter of the Kingman Development Company;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 30 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911 as amended by Chapter 107 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913 authorizing the Wiscasset,

Waterville and Farmington Railway Company to dispose of a part of the property of said Company;"

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve providing for a State pension for Clarence M. Smith of Norway,

Was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to provide for the care and treatment of tubercular persons;"

Bill "An Act to authorize the removal of bodies of deceased persons from the Guilford Cemetery;"

Were referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act to regulate the employment of subordinates by Legislative Committees;"

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Governor;"

Bill "An Act to create the office of Commissioner of Inland Fish and Game and to abolish the office of Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game;"

Bill "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, defining compensation of members of the Legislature and of the Governor's Council;"

Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of certain public officers;"

Were referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Bill "An Act to open the east side of Damariscotta River, to the middle thereof, above the bridge along the shore in Damariscotta, to alewife fishing with nets, etc.;"

Bill "An Act to establish a close time on lobsters in certain waters of Hancock County;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 23 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the marking of lobster cars and traps;"

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 41 of Revised Statutes amended, relating to the destruction of fish in tidal waters, by means of dynamite or poisonous or stupefying substances;"

Petition of Kendall M. Dunbar and 86 others of Damariscotta to open the east side of Damariscotta River to the middle thereof, above the bridge along the shore in Damariscotta, to alewife fishing with nets, etc.;

Remonstrance of William Hines and 56 others against the enactment of a law to prohibit the taking of alewives in Damariscotta River;

Remonstrance of C. E. Clifford and 67 others in regard to the same:

Remonstrances of the following in regard to same:

Fred Dunton and 102 others;

Kendall M. Dunbar and 85 others;

Remonstrance of J. P. Tucker and 32 others against the repeal of Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1911, being "An Act relating to the protection of smelts along the coast of Maine, from Casco Bay to Penobscot Bay;

Remonstrance of A. H. Dodge and 58 others in regard to the same;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 7 of the Revised Statutes authorizing the land agent to lease camp sites on lands belonging to the State, and to repeal obsolete portions of said Chapter;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 81 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to sealing milk bottles and jars;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 98 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the time of opening and closing of polls at elections;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 31 of the Revised Statutes by including shooting galleries in the provisions thereof;"

Bill "An Act to repeal certain obsolete Sections of Chapter 26 of the Revised Statutes, relating to fences of common fields;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 91 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to guide posts at crossing of ways;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 67 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the distribution of personal estate;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 43 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the appointment of an agent or attorney by non-resident executors or administrators;"

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 64 of the Revised Statutes, relating to masters, apprentices, and servants;"

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 25 and 30 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the taxation of the property of corporations;"

Bill "An Act to amend paragraph 2 of Section 13 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, so that the same may conform to Paragraph 1 of said Section as amended;"

Bill "An Act to amend Sec. 25 of Chap. 3 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chap. 138 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the printing of the reports of the State departments;"

Bill "An Act to amend Sec. 47 of Chap. 2 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the notification of appointments and qualifications of justices of the peace, trial justices, and notaries public;"

Bill "An Act to amend Sec. 54 of Chap. 2 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the bond of the Treasurer of State;"

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 23 and 24 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to filling vacancies in nominations made at a primary election;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes for the benefit of County Law Libraries;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the office of County Treasurer;"

Bill "An Act to amend paragraph 9 of Section 13 of Chapter

9 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the taxation of personal property held by religious societies;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 69 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of guardians of persons over 21 years of age;”

Bill “An Act to amend Chapter 42 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the appointment of guardians by consent;”

Bill “An Act relating to the appointment of non-resident guardians;”

Bill “An Act to fix the standard weight of certain commodities not included in Section 39 of Chapter 39 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 124 of the Public Laws of 1913, and to correct the standard weight of a bushel of dried apples, and to change the standard weight of a barrel of potatoes;”

Bill “An Act to amend Sections 8, 46 and 54 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the compensation of committees in highway proceedings;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 53 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the duties of executors and administrators;”

Bill “An Act to amend Sections 19 and 20 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the bond and records of the Register of Probate;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the determination of highway boundaries which are doubtful, uncertain or lost;”

Bill “An Act relating to the appointment of an agent by a non-resident testamentary trustee;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 40 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to notices of appointment by executors and administrators;”

Were referred to the Special Committee on Revision of the Statutes.

Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to convey certain lands in Township No. 5, Range 4, (Lynchtown), in the County of Oxford,

Was referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Petition of the W. C. T. U. of South Durham in favor of a State reformatory for women;

Petition of Sarah L. Cram and others of Kennebunk for same;

Were referred to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Bill "An Act to withdraw from Allagash Plantation, in the County of roostook, that part of the Plantation which was before its incorporation Township No 17, Range 10, W. E. L. S., in Aroostook County,"

Was referred to the Committee on Towns.

Resolve in favor of reimbursing the County of Penobscot for expenditures made in connection with the maintenance of the State bridge between Oldtown and Milford;

Petition of John M. Brown and 29 others in favor of Wallagrass and New Canada Plantations;

Remonstrance of Samuel M. Smith and four others against the proposed amendment of Chapter 356 of the Private and Special Laws of 1883, relating to bridge between Orr's and Bailey's Island;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to regulate fishing in the tributaries to Pattee's Pond, and in a portion of Wilson Brook, a tributary to said Pond, in Kennebec County," reported the same in a new draft under title of "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Pattee's

Pond, and in a portion of Wilson Brook, a tributary to the outlet of said Pond, in Kennebec County," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to prohibit ice fishing in Little Dyer's Pond, so called, in Jefferson, in the County of Lincoln," reported the same in a new draft under title of "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Little Dyer's Pond, so called, in the town of Jefferson, in the County of Lincoln," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of C. S. Stetson and 18 others relative to the protection of fish in Hooper Pond, in Greene, in the County of Androscoggin, reported a Bill which is herewith submitted, entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Hooper Pond and its tributaries in the town of Greene, County of Androscoggin.

Mr. PERKINS from the Committee on Insane Hospitals, on Resolve in favor of Bangor State Hospital for stone crusher, reported that it ought to pass.

Mr. DURGAIN from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Bangor State Hospital for maintenance 1915-1916, reported that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Bangor State Hospital for dining-rooms, reported that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Bangor State Hospital for renovation of wards C-3 and E-3, reported that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for sun parlors, wards C-1 and E-1, reported the same in a new draft under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. PERKINS from the same Committee, on Resolve in

favor of Bangor State Hospital for sleeping rooms for night nurses, reported that it ought to pass.

Mr. DAVIS from the Committee on Interior Waters, on Bill entitled "An Act to prevent the pollution of the water of Wilson Lake, reported that the same ought to pass.

Mr. POLLARD from the Committee on Interior Waters, on Resolve in aid of navigation on Lewys, Long and Big Lakes in Washington County, reported the same ought to pass.

Mr. WATERHOUSE from the Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act to enlarge the purposes and powers of the Cleveland Concrete Building Block Company" reported the same in a new draft under title of "An Act to enlarge the purposes and powers of the Cleveland Building Block Company," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. MICHAUD from the Committee on Public Health, on Bill "An Act to lessen frauds in the name of charity," reported that the same ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act in favor of authorizing the town of Richmond to change a burying ground," reported that the same ought to pass.

Mr. GOLDTHWAIT from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries, on Bill "An Act for the better protection of shell fish within the town of Old Orchard, in the County of York," reported that the same ought to pass.

Mr. TURNER from the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation, on Resolve authorizing the land agent to sell and convey a certain lot or parcel of land, situated in the Public Lot of Dennistown Plantation, in Somerset County, reported the same in a new draft under title of "Resolve authorizing the land agent to sell and convey a certain lot or parcel of land, situated in the Public Lot of Dennistown Plantation, in Somerset County," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. ROBINSON from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Herbert W. Stevens, reported the same in a new draft under title of "Resolve in favor of Herbert W. Stevens," and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered under joint rules.

Mr. PERKINS from the Committee on Insane Hospitals, on Resolve in favor of Bangor State Hospital for vegetable cellar, reported that the same ought not to pass.

Mr. DURGAIN from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Bangor State Hospital for barn, reported that the same ought not to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Bangor State Hospital for poultry plant, reported that it ought not to pass.

Mr. MULLIGAN from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries, on Bill "An Act to repeal the office of Sea and Shore Fish Commissioner and his Wardens," reported that it ought not to pass.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to insolvent estates and amending Section 5 of Chapter 68 of the Revised Statutes" (House Document No. 105),

Was read twice and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Resolve in favor of Sibae S. Andrews for increase of pension (House Document No. 107);

Resolve favoring an appropriation for widening the turn-pike road in Camden and Lincolnville (House Document No. 106);

Resolve in favor of the Plantation of Wallagrass (House Document No. 108);

Resolve in favor of the Plantation of New Canada (House Document No. 110);

Resolve in favor of Ernest F. Merrow of Hyde Park, Massachusetts (House Document No. 109);

Were read once and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Resolve in favor of the People's Ferry Company for maintenance (House Document No. 90),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

ORDERED, The Senate concurring, that no bill or resolve carrying an appropriation of money shall be introduced after the tenth day of February, 1915.

This order was tabled January 29, on motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland.

On motion of the same gentleman,

The order was taken from the table, and on further motion of same gentleman the House receded from its vote by which the order was passed, and voted indefinitely to postpone the order in concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved that, on the adjournment of the House, the members leave slips upon their respective desks asking that their seats be reserved for them for the hearing on woman's suffrage during the afternoon.

Discussion ensued.

The Chair ruled that, as the use of Representatives Hall had already been granted to the Committee on Judiciary for the afternoon, for the hearing on woman's suffrage, the motion was not in order.

On motion of Mr. MORRISON of Eden,

Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. to-morrow, Friday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Brokenshire of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

ORDERED, The House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn it be to meet Tuesday forenoon, February 16, at ten o'clock,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence. (Received out of order.)

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 51 of the Private and Special Laws of 1840, relating to Franklin County Agricultural Society;"

Petition of the members of Prestile Grange, Westfield, in favor of appropriating moneys for the State Farm;

Petition of members of Pomona Grange, Easton, in favor of same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of the State Pension Clerk;

Resolve in favor of the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell, to provide for the payment of interest on trust funds deposited in the State Treasury;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the town of Sangerville,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 58 of the Public

Laws of 1913, relating to the State certification of teachers of public schools;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 97 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 45 of the Public Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 87 of the Public Laws of 1909, as amended by Chapter 29 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 162 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the appropriation for the schooling of children in unorganized townships;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section eight of Chapter 188 of the Public Laws of 1911 as amended by Chapter 37 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the appropriation for the encouragement of industrial education;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 110 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the course of study of the State Normal Schools;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 188 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to industrial courses in evening schools;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 29 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the number of weeks that schools shall be maintained annually;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 198 of the Public Laws of 1909 as amended by Chapter 192 of the Public Laws of 1911, and as further amended by Chapter 182 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the amount of the school equalization fund;”

Resolve in favor of the Maine Teachers’ Association to assist in the publication of bulletins and a journal of proceedings;

Resolve in favor of Saint Joseph’s Academy, Portland, to assist in the payment of the debt and for permanent improvements;

Resolve in favor of the Nasson Institute, for maintenance and extension of its work;

Resolve in favor of Nasson Institute, toward the erection and equipment of a dormitory;

Resolve in favor of Anson Academy;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Education.

Petition of Marion Leach and 23 others of Penobscot Grange, No. 240, of Penobscot, Maine, in favor of the act for the relief of the blind residents of Maine;

Petition of N. R. Collar and 15 others of Schoodic Grange, No. 420, of Franklin, Maine, for same;

Were ordered placed on file in concurrence.

Petition of Lillian A. Rowe and 52 others of Milo, Piscataquis County, for a constitutional amendment giving the right of suffrage to women;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Nellie A. Lamb and ten others of Enfield, and Mrs. Bertha Babcock and 47 others of Howland;

Maude Cooper and 40 others of Searsmont;

W. R. Bailey and 21 others of Knox and vicinity;

S. F. Clement and 23 others of Waterville;

W. B. Bailey and 15 others of China and Albion;

Hattie T. White and 24 others of Wayne;

Petition of Mrs. Byron Stevens, Brunswick, and 122 others against suffrage for women;

Petition of Mrs. Clarence A. Leighton, Thomaston, and eight others, against suffrage for women;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Petition of H. G. Emery and 36 others in favor of investigation of institutions by county commissioners or grand jurors,

Returned from the Senate referred in non-concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary. The House receded from its action in referring the Petition to the Committee on Legal Affairs, and

referred it to the Committee on Judiciary in concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Petition of W. B. Dodge, Lubec, and 27 others against "mercantile establishments" in House Bill, No. 2;

Remonstrances of the following in regard to the same:

Frank H. Sherry and 16 others;

Irving S. Carver of Bethel, and 8 others;

G. O. Waterhouse and 17 others;

Fillibrown Brothers of Gorham;

Henry F. Miller & Sons Piano Company and 21 others;

D. E. Vinal of Thomaston and 17 others;

David T. Percy Sons of Bath, and 13 others;

F. A. Palmer and 18 others;

McDowell and Black Shoe Company and 15 others;

Fessenden News Company and 16 others;

Foster-Avery Company and 13 others;

Bennett and Clark and 13 others;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the trustees of Saint Joseph's Academy and College for Women;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Mutual Loan Society of Lewiston;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the report of the State Historian for the years 1913 and 1914,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Library.

Resolve in favor of George N. Holland of Hampden;

Resolve in favor of Harry J. Bean of Augusta, Kennebec County, Maine;

Petition of Foster A. Raught and 24 others in favor of a pension for Harry J. Bean;

Petition of Daniel G. Young and 23 others of Mariaville Grange, No. 441, of Mariaville, Maine, in favor of the act for the relief of the blind residents of Maine;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to prevent milk-borne outbreaks of infectious diseases,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act amendatory of Sections 27 and 28 of Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones and other public utilities,"

Which was by the House referred to the Committee on Telegraphs and Telephones, returned from the Senate recommended in non-concurrence to the Committee on Reference. The House receded from its action in referring the Bill to the Committee on Telegraphs and Telephones, and concurred with the Senate in recommitting it to the Committee on Reference.

Bill "An Act providing temporary clerk hire for the Register of Probate in Cumberland County;"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 44, Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 167, Public Laws of 1909, relating to commitment to Maine School for Feeble Minded;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 44 of the Public Laws of 1907, in relation to the discharge of inmates of the Maine School for Feeble Minded;"

Bill "An Act to prevent the aiding or abetting of the escape of inmates of the Maine School for Feeble Minded;"

Resolve authorizing the Hospital Trustees to dispose of the "Chase Merrill Place," so called, owned by the State, in connection with the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State School for Feeble Minded.

Bill "An Act to authorize the construction of a weir in the tide waters of the Cobscook River in the town of Lubec,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 52 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes, to provide for filling vacancies in the representation of the State in the United States Senate;,"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the nomination of United States Senators;,"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 73 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the investment of sinking funds established by any city or town;,"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 145 of the Public Laws of the year 1911, entitled 'An Act to insure publicity with respect to the demands upon the State and to facilitate the Legislative Committees in dealing with questions of appropriation;,"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 38 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to jurisdiction of the Probate Courts;,"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings of Judges of Probate in vacation;,"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 77 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings if husband or wife refuses to release interest in real estate;,"

Bill "An Act to provide for the reduction of the penal sum of probate bonds:,"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 71 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of towns to raise money;,"

Were referred in concurrence to the Special Committee on Revision of Statutes.

Petition of John W. Nash and 33 others for establishing of reformatory for women in Maine;

Petition of Effie W. Talbot and 86 others for establishment of reformatory for women in Maine;

Petition of J. P. Hutchinson of Eastport and 48 others for the establishment of a reformatory for women in Maine;

Also the following petitions for the same:

W. M. Nash and 19 others:

W. C. T. U. of Machias;

Ursula Penniman Club of Machias;

Alpha Lyra Club of Cherryfield;

Shakespeare Club of Cherryfield;

Women's Club of Eastport;

W. C. T. U. of Damariscotta;

Della H. Stevens of Presque Isle;

C. W. Perry of Fort Fairfield and seven others;

Child's Study Club of Presque Isle;

Philomathian Club of Fort Fairfield;

Harriet E. Jordan and 33 others;

M. C. Morrison and 19 others;

H. G. Batteson of Old Orchard and 23 others;

Old Orchard Club, Old Orchard;

Riverside Reading Club of Kittery;

I. James Merry and 32 others of Kittery;

Ivanella Palmer and 22 others;

Officers of Friday Club of Southwest Harbor;

Caroline R. Lawler of Southwest Harbor and 19 others;

W. C. T. U. of Augusta;

W. C. T. U. of Skowhegan;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Resolve for retracing and defining lines around the reserved or school lands of plantations and townships.

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Resolve for the appointment of delegates to the conferences of the National Tax Association;

Resolve making appropriation for the purpose of obtaining information in regard to wild lands for the purpose of taxation;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Taxation.

Resolve in favor of rebuilding a bridge in the town of Cutler;

Resolve in favor of aid in the construction of a highway bridge over the St. John River between the town of Madawaska, Maine, and the city of Edmundston, New Brunswick;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in improving a highway in Caratunk Plantation (House Document No. 55),

Returned from the Senate read the second time and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was tabled pending concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing and altering the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset (House Document No. 56),

Returned from the Senate read the second time and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

The Resolve was tabled pending concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the construction of road in the town of Moscow (House Document No. 53);

Returned from the Senate read the second time and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was tabled pending concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Resolve in favor of St. Joseph's Home for Aged Women, Locust Street, Portland, Maine,

Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Resolve in favor of the town of Pittsfield;

Resolve in favor of Thomas Hawkins and others;

Were referred to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 81 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to academies;"

Bill "An Act to repeal an act to grant powers to school district number 3, in town of Springfield, and all acts amendatory thereto;"

Bill "An Act to establish a Normal School to be located at Dexter in the Country of Penobscot;"

Resolve in favor of Otto Nelson of Bangor;

Resolve in favor of Limerick Academy;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Petition of E. S. Bradford and 63 others for passage of Peace Memorial to Congress;

Petition of H. A. Free and 87 others for same;

Were referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913,

relating to fishing in Baskahegan Lake and Stream, and in Hot Brook, a tributary to the Stream, and in Schoodic Grand Lake, North Lake, Brackett Lake, and their tributaries, and the waters between Schoodic Grand Lake and Chepenticook Lake, situated in the Counties of Washington and Aroostook;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 47 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the use of motor boats in hunting sea birds, duck or water fowl;”

Bill “An Act to repeal certain private and special laws relating to use of motor boats in hunting sea birds, duck and water fowl on the coast of Maine;”

Bill “An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the hunting of water fowl and other wild birds in Back Bay, so called, in Portland;”

Bill “An Act to repeal Chapter 163 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the hunting of water fowl and wild birds in Back Bay, Portland;”

Bill “An Act to repeal Section 1 of Chapter 66 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the protection of eider ducks;”

Bill “An Act to repeal Chapter 281 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907 as amended by Chapter 120 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the protection of Golden Eye or Whistler;”

Bill “An Act to repeal Chapter 373 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the protection of ducks in Lincoln County;”

Bill “An Act to repeal a portion of Section 9 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes;”

Bill “An Act to repeal Section 3 of Chapter 81 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the protection of ducks in Merry-meeting Bay, Eastern River, and Kennebec River below the Gardiner and Randolph Bridge;”

Petition of E. O. Welden of Greenville and 15 other citizens

of Piscataquis County, for additional closed season on fishing in Rum Pond in Township 8, Range 10, Piscataquis County;

Petition of J. M. Drew of Greenville and 16 other citizens of Piscataquis County, asking that the tributaries to Upper and Lower Wilson's Ponds, in said County, be closed to all fishing;

Petition of Charles F. Keefe of Vanceboro and 89 others, citizens of Maine, in favor of a resident hunter's license;

Petition of Stephen J. Knowles of Calais and 12 others, citizens of Maine, for same;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act amending the charter of the city of Lewiston, and providing a board of police commissioners;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 37 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Maine, relating to casting vote;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Centre Lovell Cemetery Association in the town of Lovell;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 19 of Chapter 16 of Revised Statutes so as to create the trustees of the local Methodist Episcopal Churches a corporation;"

Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine Water Company to take water from certain lakes in Washington County;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Presque Isle Sewerage Company;"

Bill "An Act for the better conservation and protection of public water supplies for domestic use and fire protection;"

Bill "An Act to further amend Chapter 204 of the Public Laws of 1856, relating to the Recorder of the Municipal Court of the city of Portland;"

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Remonstrance of J. Guy Coolidge and four others of Livermore Falls against including "mercantile establishments" in

House Bill No. 2, entitled "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors;"

Remonstrances of the following in regard to same:

F. C. Clark Company and 20 others of Madison;

C. H. McKenzie Mercantile Company and eight others;

Were referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to regulate the practice of chiropody;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate Mount Pleasant Cemetery Corporation;"

Bill "An Act for the erection of a monument to commemorate the old Pilgrim trading post at Ancient Koussinoc;"

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 215 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887 and amendatory of Chapter 281 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, relating to Eastern Maine Institute;"

Bill "An Act to permit the town of North Haven in the County of Knox to prohibit the use of automobiles within the limits of said town;"

Petition of Avery W. Dyer and 55 others of North Haven for an act to permit the town of North Haven to prohibit the use of automobiles within the limits of said town;"

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve in favor of an appropriation for the preservation of the regimental rolls of the War with Spain, in the office of the Adjutant General;

Petition in favor of Knox Memorial Building;

Were referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Resolve in favor of John French of Lewiston, Maine;

Was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 387 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the tenure of office of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department of the city of Portland;"

Bill "An Act to establish the offices of Superintendent and Matron of the Portland City Home, and to determine the tenure of office of same;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 486 of the Private and Special Laws of 1885, relating to the tenure of office of the Chief of Police of the city of Portland;"

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chap. 369 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the tenure of office of the City Electrician of the city of Portland;"

Were referred to the Portland Delegation.

Bill "An Act to provide for salary for the turnkey or jailor for the County of Oxford,"

Were referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 21 and 22 of Chapter 123 of Revised Statutes, relating to obstructing officers in the discharge of their duties;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 44 of Chapter 41 of Revised Statutes as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 113 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to taking smelts in tide waters;"

Petition of E. L. Gott and 19 others in favor of a summer close time on the catching of lobsters during July and August, in the waters of, between and adjacent to Bluehill and Frenchmans Bays;

Petition of Arthur M. Spaulding and 40 others in favor of a close time on the catching of lobsters during July and August in the waters of, between and adjacent to Bluehill and Frenchmans Bays;

Petitions of the following in favor of same;

A. L. Black and 63 others;

Geo. W. Trask and 16 others;

John E. Bunker and 18 others;

A. E. Clement and 28 others;

H. S. Hadlock and five others;

Leon E. Conary and 28 others;

George W. Bulger and 16 others;

Leroy G. Jenkins and 35 others;

Leslie R. Bunker and five others;

R. E. Crane and 35 others:

Remonstrance of Henry W. Place and 15 others against repeal of Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1911, being "An Act relating to the protection of smelts along the coast of Maine from Casco Bay to Penobscot Bay;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Maine, relating to nuisances,"

Was referred to the Committee on Temperance.

Remonstrance of Sanford Seiders and 28 others against any division of the town of Bristol;

Remonstrance of J. W. P. Goudy and 35 others in regard to same;

Were referred to the Committee on Towns.

Resolve in favor of replanking and repainting bridge between East Millinocket and Medway;

Resolve in favor of State aid for the support of the Eastport Bridge;

Resolve in favor of the town of Orland in the County of Hancock for the improvement of Hardscrabble Hill;

Resolve in aid of repairing Mill Cove Bridge in the town of Robbinston;

Resolve in favor of Indian Township for the repair of roads and bridges;

Resolve in favor of the construction of a bridge between the cities of Portland and South Portland;

Resolve in favor of the town of Verona for aid in repair of a bridge;

Resolve in favor of building a bridge on Violette Brook in Van Buren;

Remonstrance of George Royal Pulsifer and seven others against the proposed amendment of Chapter 356 of the Private and Special Laws of 1883, relating to bridge between Orrs and Baileys Island;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. MORRISON of Eden,

ORDERED, That the use of the Hall of the House of Representatives be granted to the Committee on the Judiciary on Thursday, February 25, at 2:00 P. M., for a hearing on act permitting the use of automobiles in the town of Mount Desert.

On motion of Mr. GOLDTHWAIT of Biddeford,

ORDERED, That the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries be given the use of Representatives Hall on Thursday, February 25, 1915, at 7:00 P. M., for a public hearing on House Bill Number 96.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in certain ponds in Oxford County," reported "ought to pass."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to close Otter Pond, in the town of Bridgton and County of Cumberland, to fishing for the term of five years from the time when this Act takes effect," reported the same in a new draft entitled, "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Otter Pond, in the town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An

Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Androscoggin Lake, in the County of Androscoggin," reported the same in a new draft under title of "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Androscoggin Lake, in the County of Androscoggin and in the County of Kennebec," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of E. F. Edgerly of South Paris, and 20 others asking that Island Pond and tributaries in Cumberland and Oxford Counties, be closed to all fishing, reported a Bill entitled, "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Island Pond and its tributaries in the towns of Harrison and Waterford, in the Counties of Cumberland and Oxford.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of John R. Flint and 60 other residents of Monson asking that Lake Hebron in Monson be opened to ice fishing, reported a Bill entitled, "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Lake Hebron, in Monson, in the County of Piscataquis."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of H. F. Woodard and 33 other residents of Kennebec County asking that Jimmy Pond in Litchfield, be opened to fishing, reported a Bill entitled, "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Jimmy Pond in Litchfield, in Kennebec County, and in the outlet stream of said Pond."

Mr. CAMPBELL from the Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 359 of the Private and Special Laws of the State of Maine for the year 1897, relating to paupers and minors," reported that the same ought to pass.

Mr. SANBORN from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act conferring jurisdiction to grant judgments declaring citizenship, residence and domicile," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act conferring jurisdiction to grant judgments declaring citizenship, residence and domicile" and that it ought to pass.

Mr. MULLIGAN from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries, on Bill "An Act to prohibit the fishing for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries by use of purse or drag seine," reported the same in a new draft under title of "An Act to prohibit the fishing for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries, by use of purse or drag seines within 2000 feet of any trap or weir" and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the accompanying Bills ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Petition of Philip F. Decormier and 34 others from the town of Standish, relating to the taking of black bass in Sebago Lake, reported that the Petitioners have leave to withdraw, as the subject matter of said Petition is to be incorporated in a Bill to be reported later by this Committee.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to insolvent estates and amending Section 5 of Chapter 68 of the Revised Statutes" (House Document No. 105);

Resolve in favor of Sibae S. Andrews for increase of pension (House Document No. 107);

Resolve favoring an appropriation for widening the turnpike road in Camden and Lincolnville (House Document No. 106);

Resolve in favor of the Plantation of Wallagrass (House Document No. 108);

Resolve in favor of the Plantation of New Canada (House Document No. 110);

Resolve in favor of Ernest F. Mellow of Hyde Park, Mas-

sachusetts, relating to the construction of a bridge from Thorp's Island to the mainland in the town of Boothbay (House Document No. 109);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

ORDERED, That the Committee on Temperance be given the use of Representatives Hall on Wednesday, February 24, 1915, at 2:00 P. M., for a public hearing on House Bill No. 37 and Senate Bill No. 40.

This order was introduced out of order by unanimous consent.

On motion of Mr. BOURQUE of Waterville,
Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M., Tuesday, February 16.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Phalen of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Assistant Folder and Page of the Seventy-Sixth Legislature for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Petition of Leonard T. McLain of Pemaquid Beach and 40 others in favor of women suffrage,

Was placed on file in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in portions of Rangeley Stream, Kennebago Stream and Little Kennebago Stream in the County of Franklin and in the County of Oxford;"

Resolve providing for the screening of Parker Pond in Kennebec and Franklin Counties;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act to create a Public Utilities Commission, prescribe its powers and duties, and provide for the regulation and control of Public Utilities;'"

Bill "An Act to restore the jurisdiction of Trial Justices in criminal offenses in the towns of Kittery and York;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act amendatory of Sections 27 and 28 of Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones, and other public utilities,"

Was re-considered the vote of February 12 by which this was recommitted to the Committee on Reference. The House then voted to refer the Bill to the Committee on Judiciary in concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend the purposes and grant additional powers to the Atlantic Maritime Company,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to amend, revive and extend the charter of Stratton Water Company;"

Bill "An Act to build and repair a dyke in the town of Milbridge;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act in favor of an appropriation to restore the early records in the office of the Clerk of Courts for York County,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Library.

Bill "An Act relating to the amortization of bonds of life insurance companies,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Resolve in favor of an appropriation to complete the historical record of Maine men serving in the United States Navy during the War for the Suppression of the Rebellion, 1861-1865;

Bill "An Act to amend the Military Law;"

Petition of Mrs. Alfred K. Ames and 32 others in favor of Resolve for Knox Memorial Building;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Bill "An Act creating a single board form of representative government in the city of Portland;"

Bill "An Act to provide for the establishment of a board of recreation for the city of Portland;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Portland Delegation.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 23 of Chapter 18 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the State Laboratory of Hygiene;"

Resolve providing for an epidemic or emergency fund;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act for the preservation, perpetuation and increase of the forests of the State of Maine;"

Resolve authorizing the land agent to sell and convey what-

ever interest the State has in and to Potato Island, situated in Harrington, Washington County;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Petition of Pine Cone Club, Clinton, in favor of a reformatory for women;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Arcana Club, Clinton;

Arthur A. Shaw, M. D., and 13 others of Clinton;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Resolve appropriating money for rebuilding the bridge across the Sheepscot River between the towns of Alna and Newcastle,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Report of Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve appropriating money to complete the re-planking of the Wiscasset Bridge (Senate Document No. 63).

The report was accepted in concurrence, accompanying Resolve read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, reporting "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of Claude Willis Townsend, Jr., Assistant Folder for the Senate of the Seventy-sixth Legislature, for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of John F. Locke, an officer of the Seventy-sixth Legislature, for services at the organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Report of Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act relative to the use of cinematographs using only cellulose acetate films."

The foregoing reports came from the Senate accepted, and by the House were accepted in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Frank Francis, Representative of the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians;

Resolve in favor of the Maine Mission for the Deaf;

Resolve in favor of the Secretary of the Committee on Indian Affairs to defray expenses of said Committee in visiting the Reservations at Pleasant Point and Old Town;

Resolve in favor of the Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Messenger, Assistant Messenger, Mail Carrier, First Folder, Assistant Folder, Doorkeeper and Pages of the Seventy-sixth Legislature for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the town of Harmony;

Resolve in favor of William F. Mason of Wiscasset, Maine;
Were referred to the Committee on Claims.

Resolve in favor of Nellie Fletcher;

Petition of Charles H. Leland and 85 others, citizens and taxpayers of the city of Ellsworth, respectfully entering their remonstrance against the passage of a certain Act, entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 177, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the common school fund and its distribution," and pray that the same may not become a law;

Petition of F. E. Weston of Winter Harbor and 53 others in regard to the same;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act to prohibit the snaring of foxes and other wild animals in the towns of Lubec, Trescott, Whiting and Cutler, in the County of Washington;"

Bill "An Act to regulate the taking of frogs from Big Fish Lake, Portage Lake, Square Lake, Eagle Lake, Soldier Pond, Long Lake, and connecting streams in Aroostook County;"

Resolve providing for the screening of Moose Pond, so called, in Hartland and in Harmony, in the County of Somerset;

Petition of A. W. McCorrison and 46 others of Appleton in favor of a bill prohibiting trapping or "digging out" foxes;

Petition of Josiah H. Hobbs and 67 others of Camden in favor of same;

Petition of William H. Phinney and 46 others in favor of opening Pleasant Pond in the town of Turner, County of Androscoggin, for ice fishing for a period of three years;

Petition of J. P. McCurdy and 27 others in favor of enacting a law prohibiting the snaring of foxes and other wild animals in the towns of Lubec, Trescott, Whiting and Cutler, County of Washington;

Petition of Fred Harvey and 28 others for closing Fall Brook for three years;

Petition of Fred Harvey and 30 others for close time on First, Second, Third and Fourth Lakes on Nigger Brook;

Petition of Charles I. Wiley and 67 others of Camden in favor of a bill prohibiting trapping or "digging out" foxes;

Petition of W. R. Haley and 52 other residents of Sebago Lake and vicinity, asking for change in smelt law on Sebago Lake;

Petition of Arthur E. Wallace and 36 others in favor of enacting a law prohibiting the snaring of foxes and other wild animals in towns of Lubec, Trescott, Whiting and Cutler, in Washington County;

Petition of L. F. Johnson and 60 others in favor of screening outlet of Schoodic Lake;

Remonstrance of Azel Jones and 106 others of Solon and vicinity against the passage of the Act known as the "Resident Hunter's Act;"

Remonstrance of N. H. Fay of Dexter and 81 others against a resident hunting license;

Remonstrance of the following in regard to the same:

C. Hollis White and 14 others;

C. L. Adams and 16 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Petition of J. Burton Roberts of Dayton and 68 others in favor of an Act relating to the Clark Power Company,

Was referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Petition of F. J. Leavit of Burton and 30 others in favor of same;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 63 of the Revised Statutes, relating to rights of married women;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Grindstone Boom Company;"

Bill "An Act to define and make plain the meaning of Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 328 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the reconstruction of the eastern span of the Old Town-Milford Bridge;"

Petition of Rev. B S. Fifield and 45 others in favor of submitting to the people of this State a Constitutional Amendment giving the right of suffrage to women under the same conditions and limitations as men;

Petitions of the following in favor of woman suffrage:

Mrs. Lela J. Bartlett and 40 others;

Emily Whittier and 30 others of Caribou;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Remonstrance against including "mercantile establishments" in House Bill No. 2, entitled "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors;"

Remonstrance of M. D. Estes and ten others in regard to the same;

Were referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Washington County

Light and Power Company as granted by Chapter 129 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Luella Darling for a State pension;

Resolve in favor of Mary A. Moulton, Cushing, Maine;

Resolve in favor of George F. Phillips for State pension;

Resolve in favor of Lydia A. Richardson for State pension;

Resolve in favor of Mary Harmon, Bangor, Maine;

Were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 147 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act for the abolishment of grade crossings of railroads,'"

Was referred to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Petition of C. L. Kinghorn and 51 others in favor of close time on lobsters in Machias Bay and adjacent waters, in County of Washington;

Bill "An Act to provide for the destruction of dog fish and other members of the shark species in the waters of Maine;"

Petition of Charles Cates and 65 others remonstrating against any change in the present lobster law;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 91 of the Public Laws of 1913, to regulate the size of smoked herring boxes;"

Remonstrance of C. L. Kinghorn and 39 others against any change in present lobster law;

Remonstrance of H. G. Myrer and 58 others in regard to same;

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the protection of smelts along the coast of Maine from Casco Bay to Penobscot Bay;"

Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in Machias Bay and adjacent waters in Washington County;"

Petition of Charles Cates and 64 others in favor of enacting a law prohibiting fishing for lobsters in Cutler waters, from June 15 to September 15 in each year;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 233 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court in the town of Livermore,"

Was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to State highways;"

Resolve for repairing a highway in the town of Upton;

Resolve in favor of repairing road in the town of Cooper;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to trespass upon grounds of Agricultural Societies."

Mr. GREENLEAF from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to extend the time in which the Maine Title Guarantee Company is authorized to commence business."

Mr. LEWIS from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend and extend the charter of the Baker and Spencer Brook Dam and Improvement Company."

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Salathiel D. Seeley of Perry, for an increase of pension.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Mary E. Elwell of Chesterville.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Lester Patten.

Mr. WILKINS from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of repairing bridge in Forest City.

Mr. POLLARD from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve for the permanent improvement and repairs of the New Kenduskeag road in the town of Glenburn, reported the same in a new draft, under title of "Resolve in favor of repairing the New Kenduskeag Road in the town of Glenburn," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Gardiner and Randolph Bridge between Gardiner and Randolph, reported the same in new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Machiasport and East Machias Bridge, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve for the building of bridge across Kenduskeag Stream in the town of Corinth, Penobscot County, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act requiring all butter offered or exposed for sale or sold to be stamped with the maker's name."

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide for retiring and pensioning employees of State Insane Hospitals and School for Feeble Minded."

Mr. POLLARD from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of the town of Prentiss.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported

the same on Resolve for rebuilding a section of Marsh Hill in the town of Stockton Springs.

Mr. WILKINS from the same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve to provide for repair of road leading from Stacyville Station to the East Branch of the Penobscot River.

These reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for sun parlors, wards C-1 and E-1 (House Document No. 127);

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for sleeping rooms for night nurses (House Document No. 126);

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for renovation of wards C-3 and E-3 (House Document No. 128);

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for dining-rooms (House Document No. 129);

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for stone-crusher (House Document No. 131);

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for maintenance 1915-1916 (House Document No. 130);

Were read once, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to prevent the pollution of the water of Wilson Lake" (House Document No. 124);

Resolve in aid of navigation on Lewys, Long and Big Lakes in Washington County (House Document No. 125);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 359 of the Private and Special Laws of the State of Maine for the year 1897, relating to paupers and minors" (House Document No. 177);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 53 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the driving of automobiles on the turnpike road in the towns of Camden and Lincolnville" (House Document No. 174);

Bill "An Act conferring jurisdiction to grant judgments declaring citizenship, residence and domicile" (House Document No. 176);

Were read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to enlarge the purposes and powers of the Cleveland Concrete Building Block Company" (House Document No. 123),

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Was tabled pending first reading.

Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey a certain lot or parcel of land, situated in the Public Lot of Dennistown Plantation, in Somerset County (House Document No. 119),

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Was tabled pending second reading.

Resolve in favor of Herbert W. Stevens (House Document No. 118);

Resolve in favor of Bryant Libby of Kennebunk (House Document No. 172);

Resolve in favor of John S. Gaddis of Kennebunk (House Document No. 173);

Were read once, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to lessen frauds in the name of charity" (House Document No. 122);

Bill "An Act in favor of authorizing the town of Richmond to change its burying ground" (House Document No. 121);

Bill "An Act for the better protection of shell fish within the town of Old Orchard, in the County of York" (House Document No. 120);

Bill "An Act to prohibit the fishing for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries, by use of purse or drag seines within 2000 feet of any trap or weir" (House Document No. 175);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Hooper Pond and its tributaries in the town of Greene, in the County of Androscoggin" (House Document No. 132);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Little Dyer's Pond, so called, in the town of Jefferson, in the County of Lincoln" (House Document No. 133);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Pattee's Pond, and in a portion of Wilson Brook, a tributary to the outlet of said pond, in Kennebec County" (House Document No. 134);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Jimmy Pond, in Litchfield, in Kennebec County, and in the outlet stream of said pond" (House Document No. 183);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Lake Hebron, in Monson, in the County of Piscataquis" (House Document No. 182);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Island Pond and its tributaries, in the towns of Harrison and Waterford, in the Counties of Cumberland and Oxford" (House Document No. 181);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Androscoggin Lake, in the County of Androscoggin and in the County of Kennebec" (House Document No. 180);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws

of 1913, relating to ice fishing in certain ponds in Oxford County" (House Document No. 178);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Otter Pond, in the town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland" (House Document No. 179);

Were read twice and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Resolve in favor of the construction of road in the town of Moscow (House Document No. 53),

Which was tabled February 12 pending adoption of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence, on motion of same gentleman,
Was taken from the table.

On motion of Mr. DUTTON of Bingham,

The vote was reconsidered by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed, Senate Amendment "A" adopted in concurrence, and Resolve passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A," in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Resolve in favor of repair of highway in Caratunk Plantation (House Document No. 55),

Which was tabled February 12 pending adoption of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence, on motion of same gentleman,
Was taken from the table.

On motion of Mr. DUTTON of Bingham,

The vote was reconsidered by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed, Senate Amendment "A" adopted in concurrence, and Resolve passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A," in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing and altering the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset (House Document No. 56),

Which was tabled February 12 pending adoption of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence, on motion of same gentleman,
Was taken from the table.

On motion of Mr. DUTTON of Bingham,

The vote was reconsidered by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed, Senate Amendment "A" adopted in concurrence, and Resolve passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A," in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

Report of Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of bridge across Macwahoc Stream in Macwahoc Plantation,

Which was tabled February 10 pending acceptance, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, was accepted and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. MEADER of Chelsea,
adjourned to ten o'clock A. M., tomorrow, Wednesday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, February 17, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Wright of Gardiner.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Petition of E. M. Berry and eight others relative to a Re-

solve in favor of Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Woman's College;

Petitions of the following for the same:

E. A. Lincoln and 18 others;

F. I. Brown and 13 others;

J. L. Pinkerton and ten others;

Harry L. Plummer and ten others;

Laforest Dowst and 17 others;

C. H. Sturtevant and 24 others;

B. Ralph Cram and 24 others;

Mrs. Martha Norris, Secretary of the Wayne Grange;

Arthur W. Leech and six others;

H. G. McGlauflin and 23 others;

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of State Pensions;

Resolve in favor of the Daughters of Wisdom for maintenance and to aid in securing water supply and building for the same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the town of Otisfield,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Claims.

Resolve in favor of the publication and circulation of a school text in Civics, Local Geography and Local History;

Resolve in favor of Maine Central Institute;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Simpson Pond, so called, in the town of

Roque Bluffs, in the County of Washington," with a petition of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, and 18 residents of said town, in favor of same;

Bill "An Act to prohibit the use of firearms in the town of Addison;"

Bill "An Act to regulate fishing in Horse Shoe Pond in the County of Piscataquis;"

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the report of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game for the State of Maine, for the year 1914;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Petition of Mrs. K. C. Reed of Bowdoinham and 20 others in favor of suffrage for women,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Resolve in favor of Knox Academy of Arts and Sciences, and General Knox Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, of Thomaston, Maine,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Bill "An Act to regulate and define rights and privileges of newspaper correspondents,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Farmington and Augusta Railway Company,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Railways and Expresses.

Bill "An Act to provide additional compensation for clerk hire for the Clerk of Courts of Somerset County,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Petition of Winnifred P. Bigelow in favor of a State reformatory for women;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Carl E. Milliken of Island Falls and 19 others;

19th Century Club;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Resolve in favor of the town of Fort Kent in building a bridge across the St. John River,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Englishmens River Dyke Company" (Senate Document No. 81).

Report of Committee on Pensions reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Ellison Gilbert (Senate Document No. 83).

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of L. Prescott Currier (Senate Document No. 82).

The Reports were accepted, Bill read twice, Resolves read once, and to-morrow assigned for third reading of Bill and second reading of Resolves.

Report of the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 4 of the Private and Special Laws of the year 1913, relating to taking of smelts in the waters of Egypt Bay, Franklin Bay, Taunton Bay and River, and their tributaries in the towns of Hancock, Franklin and Sullivan, in the County of Hancock" (Senate Document No. 80).

On motion of Mr. WESCOTT of Bluehill,

The Bill was recommitted to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries in non-concurrence, and sent to the Senate.

The Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation, on Bill "An Act to enable the town of Rangeley to make a fill in and maintain a dam at the outlet of Haley Pond for a park and sanitary purposes," reported the same in a new draft, under

the same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 79).

The Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve in favor of the town of Canton to purchase its toll bridge, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 62).

The Reports were accepted, Bill read twice, Resolve read once, and to-morrow assigned for third reading of Bill and second reading of Resolve.

The same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Dunn's Notch Road in Andover North Surplus and Grafton, both in the County of Oxford, reported "ought not to pass."

The Report was accepted in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 15 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 34 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the protection of trees and shrubs from the introduction and ravages of dangerous insects and diseases;"

Bill "An Act relating to the removal of nests of the brown-tail moth within the limits of the highway;"

Resolve to promote and assist the interests of poultry culture;

Resolve in favor of the United States for the inspection of potatoes in the State of Maine, by the Government, under Federal inspection and regulations;

Petition of L. M. Cleaves and 14 others in favor of an Act to provide for the semi-monthly payment of milk or cream;

Petition of Fred P. Emery and 14 others in favor of an appropriation for further improvement in the methods of marketing the farm products and purchasing supplies for the farm, as embodied in House Bill No. 81;

Were referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of Somerset Hospital:

Petition of Cora E. Cram and 23 others of Litchfield Grange,

No. 127, for W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children, at Gardiner, Maine;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Ralph M. Bacon and four others of Franklin Grange, No. 124;

Asbury G. Bailey and 23 others of Woolwich Grange, No. 68;

J. A. Sanker and 15 others of Equity Grange, No. 170;

O. E. Stratton and 13 others of Winn Grange, No. 490;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Benjamin M. Jenness;

Resolve in favor of Charles S. Pearl of Bangor, Maine, and Frederick J. Ranlett of Boston, Massachusetts, executors of the will of the late James C. Braman, to reimburse the estate of said James C. Braman for collateral inheritance tax erroneously assessed against said estate and paid by said executors;

Resolve in favor of The Forks Plantation;

Resolve in favor of Edmund E. Gould for disbursements made by him in defense of a suit brought against him for acts committed in the line of his duty, as agent appointed by the Governor to enforce the provisions of the Revised Statutes relative to cruelty to animals;

Petition of Fred Pierce and 17 others asking that Jackman Plantation be reimbursed for \$155;

Were referred to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act to authorize the construction of a bridge by the County of Cumberland;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 181 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act to establish in Cumberland County a county farm;'"

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 181 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled "An Act to establish in Cumberland County a county farm;"

Were referred to the Cumberland County Delegation.

Resolve in favor of Ricker Classical Institute;

Resolve in favor of the town of Rumford for the payment of additional State School funds for the year 1913;

Remonstrance of Ernest L. Palmer and 56 others against the passage of an Act entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 177 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Common School fund and its distribution;"

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act relating to the protection of deer in the County of Sagadahoc:"

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Allen Pond, in Greene, in the County of Androscoggin;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 206, Public Laws of 1913, relating to the Inland Fish and Game Laws, and more especially to fishing in Brewer Lake;"

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the throwing of sawdust and other mill waste into Dyer's River, so called, in the County of Lincoln;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the Inland Fish and Game laws;"

Resolve for the completion of fish screen at the outlet of Beech Hill Lake in the town of Otis:

Petition of J. Fred Lord of West Lebanon and seven others, asking for additional restrictions on fishing in Great Brook, a tributary to Salmon Falls River, and in Dixon Brook, a tributary to said Great Brook, in York County:

Petition of John L. Hodsdon and 17 others, residents of Oxford County, asking that the law protecting black bass in Lake Christopher or Bryant's Pond, in Oxford County, be repealed:

Petition of George W. Harthorn of Milford, and 21 other citizens of Oldtown, Argyle, Bangor and Newport, in favor of amending the law so that drift nets may be used for taking salmon on the Penobscot River, from the Water Works' Dam at Bangor, to the mouth of Seboeis River, under the same conditions provided in the law of 1899, which was repealed in 1913, except a limit of one fish, shall be established:

Petition of Central Oxford Fish and Game Association asking for a daily limit to be placed on smelts which may be taken from Bryant's Pond and tributaries, in Woodstock and Greenwood, Oxford County:

Petition of E. A. Clark and nine other residents of Levant, asking that Booker Brook be closed to all fishing for three years and that for three years thereafter fishing be permitted only on Wednesday of each week:

Petition of Ralph M. Cary and 45 others in favor of extending the law against ice fishing on Pleasant Pond, in the town of Turner;

Petition of O. C. Moulton, M. D., and 24 others, residents of Maine, in favor of a resident hunting license;

Remonstrance of C. H. Wyman and 96 others against resident hunter's act;

Remonstrances of the following against the same:

J. C. Forbes and 114 others;

H. B. Sprague and 28 others;

Daniel K. LaFleur and 82 others;

R. Boyington and 35 others;

Ellis H. Tobey and 21 others;

F. E. Carlton and 15 others of Appleton;

E. E. Sinnett and 39 others;

H. H. Nutter and 90 others of Pittsfield;

George F. Crocker and 19 others;

Eugene E. Frederic and 39 others of Starks;

Chester R. Williams and 17 others of Embden;

M. W. Cayford and 22 others of Cornville;

Isaac L. Dunning and 27 others;

Thomas P. Carner and 37 others;

S. G. Day and 20 others;

W. C. Leighton and 59 others;

Frank R. Fellow and 64 others, residents of Ripley;

C. C. Hanson and 70 other residents of St. Albans;

David W. Scribner and 40 others;

Fred W. Atkinson and 55 others;

W. L. Mace and 38 others;

C. A. Creighton and 86 others;

L. H. Blanchard, M. D., and 34 other residents of Hartland;

George E. Thompson and 70 others;

M. A. Whitten and 20 others of Steuben;

John H. Macomber and 15 others;

Charles P. Chandler and seven others of New Gloucester;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 54 of the Revised Statutes in relation to exemption of fees for steamboat inspection and for licenses;"

Bill "An Act to authorize Enos Sawyer, Jr., of Seboeis Plantation to maintain booms, stop and sort logs and lumber in Seboeis Stream, Seboeis Plantation, Penobscot County;"

Were referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act additional to the charter of the city of Biddeford;"

Bill "An Act to authorize the Norway and Paris Street Railway to purchase or lease the property and franchise of the Mechanic Falls Electric Light Company ;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Maine Indemnity Company ;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 175 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to trustee process ;"

Bill "An Act to confer additional rights and powers upon the East Branch Improvement Company ;"

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Farmington Village Corporation ;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 84 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to procedure in court ;"

Bill "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Madison Water District ;' "

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 31 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act to authorize the Houlton Water Company to generate, sell and distribute electricity,' as amended by Chapter 106 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907 ;"

Bill "An Act for amendment to the charter of the Portland Water District ;"

Petition of Mary A. J. Staples and 39 others for Constitutional Amendment giving right of suffrage to women ;

Petition of Alice M. Douglas and 16 others in favor of same :

Petition and remonstrance of Wm. Haley and five others, inhabitants of the town of York, against the Bill to create Kennebunk Water District ;

Petitions and remonstrances of the following against the same :

Wm. M. Tripp and 109 others, inhabitants of the town of Wells ;

C. F. Perkins and 17 others, inhabitants of town of Wells ;

City Government of the City of Biddeford, and others ;

Alexander Maxwell and 52 others, inhabitants of the town of Wells;

George E. Phillips and 66 others, inhabitants of the town of Wells;

R. W. Lord and 57 others, inhabitants of the town of Kennebunk;

Charles R. Littlefield and 17 others, inhabitants of the town of Kennebunk;

A. M. Wells and eight others, inhabitants of the town of Kennebunkport;

L. E. Fletcher and 41 others, inhabitants and real-estate taxpayers of the town of Kennebunkport;

Ruel W. Norton and 47 others, inhabitants of the town of Kennebunkport;

Wilbur F. Goodwin and 16 others, inhabitants of the town of Kennebunkport;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Remonstrance of Effie D. Harcourt and ten others against House Bill No. 2;

Was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act confirming the official acts of Frank D. Fenderson acting as Register of Deeds for York County;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Mattamiscontis Dam and Improvement Company;"

Bill "An Act to extend the time within which the Farmington-Oakland Railway shall actually commence business;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Livermore and Augusta Railway Company;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Bluehill Water Company;"

Bill "An Act entitled 'An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 20 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act authorizing the town of Caribou to accept a certain legacy;'"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 57 of Chapter 27 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the punishment for intoxication."

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Corinna Water Company;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Allen Lumber Company;"
Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Henry Golding for military pension;

Resolve in favor of Michael A. Murphy of Lewiston;

Resolve providing a pension for T. Frank Winter;

Resolve in favor of Frederick Brown;

Resolve in favor of Rena Cooley of Augusta;

Resolve in favor of Mary J. D. Arkett of Woodstock;

Resolve in favor of Alice L. Gasper of Winthrop;
Were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 146 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, relating to superintendent under the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Portland,"

Was referred to the Portland Delegation.

Bill "An Act to provide for the dressing of poultry and game;"

Bill "An Act to regulate the weight, sale, purity, and price of ice;"

Were referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act to provide safety appliance cars running on street railways,"

Was referred to the Committee on Railways and Expresses.

Bill "An Act entitled 'An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 325 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, fixing the salary for the Recorder of the Municipal Court of Waterville,"

Was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Resolve in favor of Ozia M. Goff of Gray, Maine,

Was referred to the Committee on School for Feeble Minded.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 39 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to taking alewives by West Harbor Ice Company;"

Bill "An Act regulating the taking of clams in the town of Lamoine;"

Petition of Grafton J. Covey and 14 others in favor of an Act entitled, "An Act regulating the taking of clams in the town of Lamoine;"

Petition of the following in favor of the same:

Lorenzo Kingman and 20 others;

Petition of L. S. Noyes and 58 others asking for close time on lobsters in the waters of Jonesboro and Roque Bluff, during the months of July and August;

Petition of Frank B. Thompson and 17 others against changing the present lobster law;

Petition of David H. Doughty and 42 others for the better protection of clams in the town of Harpswell;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Perley A. Hackett and 50 others;

Herbert E. Wilson and 31 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Resolve in favor of the State School for Boys;

Petition of R. E. Toothaker and 21 others in favor of reformatory for women;

Were referred to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Bill "An Act for the prevention of forest fires;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 7 of the Revised Statutes, relating to payment of interest to Plantations from the funds for lands reserved for public uses;"

Resolve authorizing the land agent to sell and convey what-

ever interest the State has in and to a certain island in the South Bay in Eastern Grand Lake, Washington County;

Were referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Petition of Frank H. Libby and 22 others of Old Orchard, Maine, in favor of an Act for the prompt payment of poll taxes;

Petitions of the following for the same;

J. H. Lurvey and 37 others of Island Falls;

B. S. Woodward and 17 others of York;

W. F. Titcomb and 40 others of Houlton;

Harold H. Bourne and seven others of Kennebunk;

Eugene A. Fairfield and 85 others of Kennebunk;

Were referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 203 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the preservation of town records of births, marriages and deaths, previous to the year 1892;"

Bill "An Act to divide the town of Cumberland;"

Remonstrance of W. G. Tibbetts and 44 others against the division of the town of Bristol;

Remonstrance of Alice M. Barring and 14 others from South Bristol against same;

Were referred to the Committee on Towns.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 476 of the Private and Special Laws of 1889 as amended by Chapter 128 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, relating to Southport Bridge;"

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 56 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907 entitled 'An Act to regulate the use of certain roads in the town of Bluehill;'"

Resolve in favor of completing a section of the old "military road" in the town of Hodgdon;

Resolve in favor of the town of Hebron;

Resolve in favor of assisting the town of Plymouth in the repairing and rebuilding of Long Bridge across Plymouth Pond;

Resolve to appropriate \$500 for the construction of approaches to the State Ferry at Eggemoggin Reach;

Petition of F. B. Snow and 34 others of Bluehill in favor of special appropriation to build road through Lowell's Woods in town of Penobscot;

Petitions of the following for the same:

H. R. Googins and 65 others of Bucksport;

H. H. Dunbar and 35 others of Orland;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon presented the following order:

ORDERED, The Senate concurring, that the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs be directed to inquire into the expediency of changing the date of the ending of the State Fiscal Year December 31 to June 30, and report by bill or otherwise.

On motion of same gentleman,

The Order was tabled for printing pending passage.

Mr. RYDER from the Committee on Federal Relations reported "ought to pass" on Resolve for memorial to Congress favoring movement for permanent international peace.

Mr. CONNELLAN from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend that part of Section 5 of Chapter 80 of Revised Statutes of Maine, relating to regular sessions of the County Commissioners in Oxford County."

Mr. COBB from the Committee on Ways and Bridges

reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 326 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act to regulate the use of the roads in the town of Castine.'"

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of rebuilding a road through Lowell's Woods, so called, in the town of Penobscot, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of building a bridge across the Mattawamkeag River, in the town of Haynesville, in the County of Aroostook, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

On motion of Mr. BENN of Hodgdon,
The Report was tabled pending acceptance.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of an appropriation to be made to the Plantation of Webster to be used in building an iron bridge with concrete piers across Mattagoodus Stream in Webster Plantation, reported the same in a new draft, under the title of Resolve in favor of bridge across Mattagoodus Stream in Webster Plantation, and that it ought to pass.

The Report was accepted, and accompanying Resolve ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. RUSSELL, from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of William R. Roix.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of C. H. Ashford, Doorkeeper for the House of Representatives of the Seventy-Sixth Legislature, for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Gardner K. Heath, Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives of the Seventy-Sixth Legis-

lature, for services at the organization of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Patrick Hayes.

Mr. HIGGINS from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Ralph R. Baker.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of S. R. Purington.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of C. B. Scribner.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Joseph H. Dixon, First Folder for the House of the Seventy-Sixth Legislature, for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature.

Mr. HIGGINS from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Thomas M. Rollins.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of James L. Bresnahan, Page for the House of the Seventy-Sixth Legislature, for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature.

Mr. PERKINS from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to the observance of the Lord's Day."

Mr. COBB from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, to provide for a more equitable distribution of funds for State aid roads."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, to provide for a more equitable distribution of funds for State aid roads."

The Reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act for the better protection of shell fish within the town of Old Orchard, in the County of York" (House Document No. 120);

Bill "An Act to lessen frauds in the name of charity" (House Document No. 122);

Bill "An Act to prevent the pollution of the water of Wilson Lake" (House Document No. 124);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 53 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the driving of automobiles on the Turnpike Road in the towns of Camden and Lincolnville" (House Document No. 174);

Bill "An Act conferring jurisdiction to grant judgments declaring citizenship, residence and domicile" (House Document No. 176);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 359 of the Private and Special Laws of the State of Maine for the year 1897, relating to paupers and minors" (House Document No. 177);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in certain ponds in Oxford County" (House Document No. 178);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Little Dyer's Pond, so called, in the town of Jefferson, in the County of Lincoln" (House Document No. 133);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Pattee's Pond, and in a portion of Wilson Brook, a tributary to the outlet of said Pond, in Kennebec County" (House Document No. 134);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Androscoggin Lake, in

the County of Androscoggin and in the County of Kennebec" (House Document No. 180);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Hooper Pond and its tributaries in the town of Greene, in the County of Androscoggin" (House Document No. 132);

Bill "An Act to prohibit the fishing for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries, by use of purse or drag seines within 2000 feet of any trap or weir" (House Document No. 175);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Island Pond and its tributaries, in the towns of Harrison and Waterford, in the Counties of Cumberland and Oxford" (House Document No. 181);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Jimmy Pond and in the outlet stream of said Pond, both located in Litchfield, in Kennebec County" (House Document No. 183);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913 relating to ice fishing in Lake Hebron in Monson, in the County of Piscataquis" (House Document No. 182);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to complete the replanking of Wiscasset Bridge (Senate Document No. 63);

Resolve in favor of Herbert W. Stevens for money expended by him as Chief Fire Warden (House Document No. 118);

Resolve in aid of navigation on Lewys, Long and Big Lakes in Washington County (House Document No. 125);

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for sleeping-rooms for night nurses (House Document No. 126);

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for the construction of sun parlors for wards C-1 and E-1 (House Document No. 127);

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for renovation of wards C-3 and E-3 (House Document No. 128);

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for dining-rooms (House Document No. 129);

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for maintenance for the years 1915-1916 (House Document No. 130);

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for stone crusher (House Document No. 131);

Resolve in favor of Bryant Libby of Kennebunk for State pension (House Document No. 172);

Resolve in favor of John S. Gaddis of Kennebunk for State pension (House Document No. 173);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to appropriate moneys for the payment of salaries fixed by law for the year 1915;

An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 279 of the Private and Special Laws of 1880 entitled "An Act incorporating the Dead River Log Driving Company," as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 233 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relative to the number of directors;

An Act construing Chapter 93 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the retirement of veterans of the Civil War in the service of the State;

An Act to extend the charter of the Eastern Maine Railroad;

An Act to extend the charter of the Monson Water Company;

Resolve in favor of preserving the life of the fish in the several fish hatcheries and for the temporary operation of

the hatcheries and feeding stations for fish in this State, and for the protection of fish, game and birds;

Resolve appropriating money to assist the town of Whitefield in building a bridge across Sheepscot River;

Resolve in favor of the repair of bridges in the town of Dresden;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted and Resolves finally passed, all severally signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden,

Order for general investigation of Maine railroad affairs (House Document No. 57),

Which was tabled February 3 for printing, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, referred to the Committee on Judiciary, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. LORD of Ellsworth,

Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. to-morrow, Thursday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,

THURSDAY, February 18, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Burgess of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 60 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by the Public Laws of 1909, Chapter 98, relating to the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture;"

Petition of N. T. Gordon and 20 others in favor of Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Woman's College;

Petitions of the following in favor of same:

M. T. Newton and 17 others;

Herbert W. Lord and 40 others;

P. E. Cary and 19 others;

W. W. Taylor and 12 others;

William Wood and 22 others;

W. C. Smiley and six others;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of the Maine General Hospital,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to enable the County of Aroostook to aid in the construction of the Quebec Extension Railway Company,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Aroostook County Delegation.

Petition of W. T. Hall and 31 others of Winterport for the passage of Resolve in favor of Gorham P. Grant to refund money paid in lieu of military service in the late war of the Rebellion;

Petitions of the following for the same:

George A. Palmer and 26 others of Monroe;

Albert Pierce and 24 others of Frankfort;

Charles C. Clements and seven others of Winterport and Monroe;

James A. Carleton and 15 others of Winterport;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Claims.

Petition of Kennebago Hotel Company of Kennebago Lake and 22 others, relative to extending the open season for fishing on Little Kennebago Stream and other waters to October 1, in Franklin County,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to abolish the Western Somerset Municipal Court;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Rockland, South Thomaston and St. George Railway;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Maine Real Estate Title Company;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 70 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Spencer Dam Company, as amended by Chapter 195 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911,' and in addition thereto;"

Bill "An Act to ratify, confirm and make valid the proceedings of the First Congregational Parish at Kittery, Maine;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to enable the cities and towns of the State of Maine to appropriate money to aid in the erection of the Knox Memorial Building;"

Petition of M. R. Mathews and 33 other residents of Warren, in favor of a Knox Memorial;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Mrs. Georgie S. Bates of Augusta;

Resolve in favor of Charles B. Pettingill, a veteran of the Civil War, for retirement;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to extend and enlarge the charter of the Ocean and Northern Railroad Company,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey whatever interest the State has in and to a certain island, known as Mink Island, in East Bluehill Bay, in the County of Hancock;

Resolve that the Land Agent be authorized to sell and convey a certain ledge known as Indian Ledge, in Matinicus Harbor, in Knox County;

Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to convey the State's interests in a certain island;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Petition of Mrs. C. H. Cook and 45 others for women's reformatory;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Ethel McLaughlin and 14 others;

Mrs. L. Quimby and 16 others;

Emma O. French and 18 others of Hallowell;

Resolutions of York Pomona in favor of same;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Mrs. Harriet L. Kilbreth of Winthrop;

Julia S. Maxcy and 13 others of Gardiner;

Mrs. B. W. Jackson and eight others;

Miss Harriet A. Libby and seven others of Gardiner;

Mrs. Addie F. Fish and seven others of Gardiner;

Mrs. Charles H. Gray and 11 others of Gardiner;

Regent D. A. R. of Gardiner;

Eleanor B. Danforth and nine others of Gardiner;

Penobscot Pomona Grange;

Mrs. Anna J. Guild and 13 others of Gardiner;

Castine Conference Committee;

Events Club of Gardiner;

Humane Society of Gardiner;

Ellen M. Moseley of Lewiston and 34 others;

Arthur B. Packard and ten others;

Glen Cove Study Club of Rockland;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Resolve for aid in repairing highway in the town of Orneville, Piscataquis County;

Resolve in favor of surveys, plans and estimates for a new interstate bridge between Maine and New Hampshire;

Petition of the citizens of Whitneyville for an appropriation to build an abutment to the bridge across Machias River;

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of the year 1913, relating to the establishment of a State Highway Commission;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Joint Special Committee on Salaries and Fees of the Seventy-Sixth Legislature (House Document No. 54).

Report of same Committee, on Resolve providing for co-operative work with the United States Geological Survey, reporting the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Report of the Knox County Delegation reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve providing for the completion of the book of plans of Knox County by adding the plan of the Isle au Haut and certain copies of such plans in the Massachusetts Archives as have not already been copied.

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Mopang Dam and Improvement Company."

The reports were accepted and accompanying Bill read twice and tomorrow assigned for third reading, accompanying Resolves read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Majority report of the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maine, providing for the election on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, biennially, of Governors, Senators, Representatives, and other officers now required to be election on the second Monday of September biennially.

(Signed) Messrs. Greenleaf
 Garcelon
 Lewis
 Hill
 Perkins
 Clifford

Minority report of same Committee on same Resolve, reporting "ought not to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. Walker
Bartlett
Hanson
Thombs

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Both Reports were tabled, and next Wednesday assigned for their consideration.

Report of Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Petition of V. Babnow and other residents of Sidney and W. B. Crosby and other residents of Vassalboro, praying that the members of the Legislature of the State of Maine for the year 1915, make an appropriation for the construction of a suitable bridge across the Kennebec River between the towns of Vassalboro and Sidney, reporting that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

Report of the same Committee reporting "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of eliminating bridge on causeway at Machias.

Report of the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve in favor of bridges in Township 31, M. D., Washington County.

Report of the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve for rebuilding a section of Marsh Hill, in the town of Stockton Springs.

The Reports were accepted in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to protect agricultural and horticultural societies against fraud,"

Was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of W. A. Ricker, Secretary of the Committee on Education;

Resolve in favor of the Eastern Maine General Hospital;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Robert M. Gustin of Old Town;

Resolve in favor of Fred R. Smith, Pittsfield, Maine;

Resolve in favor of John A. McDonald;

Resolve reimbursing the town of Clifton for money paid to the State Treasurer as dog licenses in excess of the amount actually collected as such in said town for the year 1912;

Resolve in favor of Joseph J. Roberts;

Resolve in favor of the city of Biddeford;

Resolve in favor of the city of Biddeford, relating to reimbursement for the care and maintenance of a town pauper;

Were referred to the Committee on Claims.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 195 of the Private Laws of 1887, as amended by Chapter 333 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, relating to the manner of choosing the members of the board of education for the city of Waterville;"

Resolve in favor of Somerset Academy in the town of Athens;

Petition of L. E. Hilliard and 11 others in favor of amending city charter of Waterville, relating to board of education;

Petition of Mrs. Harriett Bessey and 30 others in favor of same;

Remonstrance of R. G. Kalloch and 61 others of Presque Isle, against any religious instruction in any school receiving State aid;

Remonstrance of R. G. Kalloch and 60 others against the State of Maine furnishing any aid to a school in which any religious instruction is given or any religious garb worn;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 49 of the Private and Spe-

cial Laws of 1891, as relating to the policeman of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians,"

Was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Barker Pond, in Cornville, in Somerset County, with petition of L. C. Williams and 20 others in favor of same;"

Bill "An Act to prohibit the shooting of wild birds or wild animals on Hancock Point;"

Petition of O. C. Dolbier and 87 others that the fish and game laws be so amended as to limit the catch of trout and landlocked salmon to ten fish by any one person in one day in Tufts, Grindstone and Dutton Ponds, in the town of Kingfield, Franklin County;

Petition by the same gentleman and 87 others that the Carra-bassett River and its tributaries above the bridge at Bigelow be opened to fishing, also that the Great Northern Paper Company be required to build fish ways or leave the gates hoisted in any dam they may have on said waters, except at such time as they are actually in use for the purpose of driving lumber;

Bill "An Act to repeal so much of Chapter 192 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913 as relates to Big Kennebag Lake and Little Kennebag Lake in Stetson Town, so called, in Franklin County, including the outlets;"

Resolve in favor of screening Long Pond;

Petition of Weston A. Toothaker and six others in favor of extending the time for fly fishing below the little falls on Cupsuptic Stream;

Petition of Harry Hammond and 45 others, citizens of Aroostook County, for a closed time on fishing in Ross and Cary Lakes, in Littleton, in Aroostook County;

Petition of citizens of Paris, Greenwood and Woodstock, in the County of Oxford, that a law be enacted making it un-

lawful for any one person to take, catch, kill or have in possession more than five trout and landlocked salmon, both included, in any one day, from Oversett Pond, so called, situated in town of Greenwood, in County of Oxford;

Petition of Florence E. Buzzell and others to prevent shooting at Hancock Point;

Petition in favor of an Act to regulate the taking of frogs from Big Fish Lake, Portage Lake, Square Lake, Eagle Lake, Soldier Pond, Long Lake, and connecting streams in Aroostook County;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 204 of the Public Laws of 1856 in relation to the jurisdiction of the Municipal Court of the city of Portland, as amended by Chapter 28 of the Public Laws of 1887 and Chapter 134 of the Public Laws of 1895;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 429 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, relating to the establishment of a Municipal Court in Winthrop;"

Bill "An Act to change the name of the Maine Baptist Missionary Convention and to unite with it the Maine Baptist Education Society and the Maine Baptist Charitable Society;"

Bill "An Act relating to the establishment of a Superior Court in the Counties of Cumberland, Kennebec, Androscoggin, Penobscot and Aroostook;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 93 of the Revised Statutes, relating to recording mortgages of personal property, as amended by Chapter 169 of the Public Laws of 1913;"

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of South Portland;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 7 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relating to the Bar Harbor Municipal Court;"

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Eden to own, maintain and operate an electric lighting plant;"

Bill "An Act in favor of licensing operators of motor vehicles or automobiles in the town of Eden;"

Bill "An Act to ratify and confirm the organization of the State Young Men's Christian Association of Maine and to increase its powers;"

Bill "An Act to confirm the doings of the Forest Avenue Congregational Church;"

Bill "An Act to establish the Presque Isle Municipal Court;"

Bill "An Act to authorize the Electric System Corporation of Edmundston, N. B., to exercise certain powers in this State;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 215 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to municipal elections;"

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Inter-Urban Ferry Company;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to judges of probate;"

Bill "An Act relative to interrogatories in civil actions;"

Bill "An Act to create a State Racing Commission;"

Resolve to amend Article 22 of the Constitution, relating to limitation of municipal indebtedness;

Resolve in favor of the County of Kennebec issuing bonds;

Resolve to authorize John G. Fleming to bring a suit at law or in equity against the State of Maine for a balance claimed to be due him on a highway contract;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Libby Homestead Corporation;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Waldo Co. Electric Light and Power Company;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Washburn Water Company;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Brewer Water Company, as amended by Chapter 170, of the Public Laws of 1913;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Casco Bay Water Company;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Bowdoinham Water and Electric Company;"

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 49, Section 4, Paragraph 7, relating to the insurance policy becoming void by vacancy of the premises without the insurer's written permission;"

Bill "An Act directing the Insurance Commissioner to abrogate the license of foreign insurance companies under certain conditions;"

Were referred to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Resolve in favor of Mary S. Hillman;

Resolve in favor of Meldon Neally of Brewer, Maine;
Were referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act relative to the granting of licenses by the municipal officers of the city of Portland;"

Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of harbor masters for the harbor of Portland;"

Were referred to the Portland Delegation.

Bill "An Act making it unlawful for persons to falsely represent themselves as deaf, dumb, blind, crippled or otherwise defective,"

Was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 151 of the Public Laws, entitled 'An Act relating to the compensation of registers of probate,'"

Was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock, by unanimous consent, introduced out of order the following:

Resolve in favor of Everett A. Record, Bryant's Pond, Maine.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was referred to the Committee on Pensions. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston, by unanimous consent, introduced out of order the following:

Bill "An Act to create a Police Commissioner and board of examiners for the city of Lewiston. On further motion of the same gentleman, the Bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act amending Chapter 44, Public Laws of 1907, relative to the Maine School for Feeble Minded,"

Was referred to the Committee on School for Feeble Minded.

Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in the waters of Jonesboro and Roque Bluffs, in Washington County;"

Bill "An Act to regulate the shipment of lobsters by shippers with an established place of business;"

Bill "An Act to prohibit the taking of lobsters in the waters of the town of Cutler, in the County of Washington, between the fifteenth day of June and the fifteenth day of September of each year;"

Bill "An Act to repeal Special Law, Chapter 288 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, relating to the use of purse and drag seines in the Georges River;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 380 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the taking of lobsters and setting lobster traps in the waters of Gouldsboro and other towns;"

Bill "An Act to provide for licensing lobster fishermen and the better protection of the lobster fisheries;"

Petition of Walter W. West and 11 others in favor of regulating the taking of clams in the town of Lamoine;

Petition of George N. Fifield and 13 others in favor of amending Section 1 of Chapter 380 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the taking of lobsters and setting lobster traps in the waters of Gouldsboro and other towns;

Petition of Reginald Ingalls and 40 others in favor of same;

Petition of H. G. Myrer and 33 others for close time on lobsters in Machias Bay;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to correct State Treasury tax records;"

Petition of Wilmot G. Porter and 40 others of Monticello, Maine, in favor of an act for the prompt payment of poll taxes;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Nathan P. Cook and 25 others of Presque Isle;

J. T. Snow and 63 others of Stonington;

C. J. Brown and 40 others of Ellsworth;

Thomas F. Michaud and 29 others of Limestone;

W. B. Hallett and 71 others of Ashland;

Petition of H. D. Collins and eight others in favor of the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad;

Were referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Bill "An Act to disorganize Muscle Ridge Plantation in the County of Knox,"

Was referred to the Committee on Towns.

Bill "An Act authorizing the towns of Mexico and Rumford, in the County of Oxford, to purchase the toll bridge between said towns, erected and owned by the Mexico Bridge Company;"

Bill "An Act relating to the width of sleds;"

Bill "An Act to improve the public highways of Maine by regulating the width of tires upon wagons made for carrying heavy loads;"

Bill "An Act to provide for the ownership and maintenance of highway bridges by the State, and the construction of such bridges by the State, Counties and Towns;"

Resolve in favor of aid in the construction of a highway bridge over the St. John River between Fort Kent, Maine, and St. Francis, N. B.;

Bill "An Act authorizing the Selectmen of the town of Eden to license any person competent to operate a motor vehicle or automobile on its highways;"

Petition of P. S. Langley and 25 others of Solon in favor of an appropriation for building a State Road from Jackman to Rockwood;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in a portion of Presque Isle Stream and certain tributaries to said Stream, in the County of Aroostook, reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws 1913, relating to fishing in Burnt Land Brook, so called, a tributary to Presque Isle Stream, and in the East Branch of said Presque Isle Stream, in the County of Aroostook," and that it ought to pass.

On motion of Mr. SNOW of Mars Hill,
The Report was tabled pending acceptance.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to prohibit the taking of fish from Fresh Pond, so called, in North Haven, County of Knox, for a period of five years,

accompanied by a petition from James O. Brown and eight others, reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Fresh Pond, so called, in the town of North Haven, in the County of Knox," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of A. D. Merrill and 52 others, residents of Fryeburg and vicinity, asking for a law to further restrict fishing in Ward's Brook and Ward's Pond, in Oxford County, reported a Bill entitled An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Ward's Brook and in Ward's Pond, in the town of Fryeburg, in Oxford County."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of E. E. Hastings, and 12 others, residents of Oxford County, asking for a law to further restrict the taking of muskrats in Lower Kezar Pond, Kezar Meadows and East and West Bogs, in Oxford County, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of muskrats in the town of Fryeburg, in the County of Oxford, and in the town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of E. L. Johnson and 31 other residents of Cumberland County, asking for close time on North Branch Brook and tributaries, Cumberland County, reported a Bill, entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in North Branch Brook and its tributaries, in the County of Cumberland."

Mr THIBODEAU from the Committee on Library reported "ought to pass" on Resolve for an appropriation for traveling libraries suitable for high schools in towns having no public libraries.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve for the purchase of the Maine State Year Books for the years

1915 and 1916, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the purchase of 100 copies of the History of Buckfield, reported the same in a new draft, under the title of Resolve in favor of the purchase of 125 copies of the History of Buckfield, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. LAWRENCE from the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 49 of Chapter 23 of Revised Statutes, relative to loghaulers."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve authorizing the land agent to sell and convey certain lands in the Public Lots of Plantation Number 33, Hancock County.

Mr. ROBINSON from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve to maintain the State Forest Nursery and to encourage the reforestation of the waste lands of Maine.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve authorizing the land agent to sell and convey whatever interest the State has in and to a certain lot or parcel of land situated in Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of the town of Bridgton in the County of Cumberland, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve for further public instruction in Forestry, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve for further instruction in Forestry, and that it ought to pass.

The Reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. PERKINS from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Augusta with respect to the salary of the Mayor."

The Report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to trespass upon grounds of agricultural societies" (House Document No. 194);

Bill "An Act to extend the time in which the Maine Title Guarantee Company is authorized to commence business" (House Document No. 193);

Bill "An Act to amend and extend the charter of the Baker and Spencer Brook Dam and Improvement Company" (House Document No. 192);

Were read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Resolve in favor of Salathiel D. Seeley of Perry for an increase of pension (House Document No. 191);

Resolve in favor of Mary E. Elwell of Chesterville (House Document No. 190);

Resolve in favor of Lester Patten (House Document No. 189);

Resolve in favor of repairing bridge in Forest City (House Document No. 188);

Were read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Resolve in favor of repairing the New Kenduskeag Road in the town of Glenburn (House Document No. 187);

Was read once.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,
Was tabled pending second reading.

Resolve in favor of Gardiner and Randolph bridge between Gardiner and Randolph (House Document No. 186);

Resolve in favor of Machiasport and East Machias Bridge (House Document No. 185);

Were read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Resolve for the building of a bridge across Kenduskeag Stream in the town of Corinth, Penobscot County (House Document No. 184);

Was read once. On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,
was tabled pending second reading.

Resolution of W. C. T. U. of Fayette in favor of reformatory for women;

Petition of E. C. Carll and 62 others of the city of Augusta for same;

Came from the Senate referred to Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, were received out of order and were referred in concurrence to the same Committee.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Otter Pond, town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland" (House Document No. 179);

Bill "An Act in favor of authorizing the town of Richmond to change its burying ground" (House Document No. 121);

Bill "An Act to enable the town of Rangeley to make a fill in, and maintain a dam at, the outlet of Haley Pond for a park and sanitary purposes" (Senate Document No. 79);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Englishmens River Dyke Company" (Senate Document No. 81);

Resolve appropriating money to aid the town of Canton in purchasing and repairing its toll bridge (Senate Document No. 62);

Resolve providing a State pension for L. Prescott Currier (Senate Document No. 82);

Resolve providing a State pension for Ellison Gilbert (Senate Document No. 83);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. GALLAGHER of Bangor

Adojurned to ten o'clock A. M. to-morrow, Friday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingston of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

ORDERED, The House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, it be to meet Tuesday, February 23, 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. (Received out of order.)

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act entitled 'An Act to enable the State of Maine to balance and settle its accounts with the various municipalities of Maine on the first day of December of each year;'"

Petition of Clarence H. Dow and 15 others of Fairview Grange, No. 342, in favor of the W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children at Gardiner;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 69 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the restriction and regulation of private banking,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Resolve in favor of the town of Orneville in the County of Piscataquis,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Claims.

Remonstrance of F. E. Winslow and 43 others of Mapleton and Presque Isle against furnishing aid to a school in which any religious instruction is given or any religious garb worn.

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Education.

Petition of W. C. T. U. of Houlton against House Bill No. 3, relating to the observance of the Lord's Day,
Was ordered placed on file in concurrence.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of fish, game and birds on the southerly point of Swans Island, in the town of Perkins, in the County of Sagadahoc,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Resolve in favor of an appropriation to improve the navigation of Eagle Lake, in Aroostook County,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Interior Waters.

Bill "An Act to permit the citizens of Maine to express their desires regarding constitutional provisions;"

Petition of F. Harold Bickford and 32 others of Blaine, Mrs. Ernest Crawford and 26 others of Amity, J. E. Tarbell and 24 others of Smyrna Mills, in favor of suffrage for women;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the Labor Laws of Maine as compiled and issued by the Department of Labor and Industry, in 1914.

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 383 of the Public Laws of 1897, relative to the incorporation of the South Branch Improvement Company;"

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of Penobscot Valley Gas Company;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act relating to taxation of insurance in companies not authorized to do business in Maine,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Resolve in favor of the construction of the Perry's Victory and International Peace Memorial, in conjunction with the National Government and the States of the Union, and providing for the appointment of Commissioners,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Susan E. Dawson of Monroe, Maine;

Resolve providing a State pension for Charles H. Kelley;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Pensions.

Bill "An Act to abolish the office of City Solicitor of the city of Portland and to create the office of corporation counsel of the city of Portland, and to determine his duties, tenure of office and salary,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Portland Delegation.

Bill "An Act to fix the amount of clerk hire in the office of Register of Deeds for Kennebec County,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters, in the town of Cutler, Washington County;"

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the Thirty-Third Report of the Commissioner of Sea and Shore Fisheries for the years 1913 and 1914;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to abolish the Western Somerset Municipal Court."

On motion of Mr. DUTTON of Bingham,

Was reconsidered the vote by which this was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, and, on further motion of same gentleman, was referred in concurrence to the Somerset County Delegation.

Resolve in favor of the co-operative survey of the boundary

line between the State of Maine and the State of New Hampshire;

Resolve in favor of Highland Plantation in Somerset County, and to quiet the title to certain lands therein;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Resolution of the Associated Charities of Portland in favor of a State Reformatory for Women;

Resolution of Androscoggin County Medical Association in favor of same;

Resolution of Current Events Club in favor of same;

Petition of Winnifred H. Hubbard and 17 other members of the Nineteenth Century Club of Bangor in favor of same;

Petition of Norman L. Bassett and 48 others of the city of Augusta in favor of same;

Resolve of the W. C. T. U. of Mapleton in favor of same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Resolve in favor of constructing a bridge across the Taunton River, between the towns of Sullivan and Hancock, in the County of Hancock;

Resolve in favor of the town of Hampden;

Resolve in favor of rebuilding a bridge within the town of Dennisville and Edmonds;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Bill "An Act for the relief of the needy blind residents of Maine" (Senate Document No. 61);

Resolve appropriating money for the construction of Lord Bridge over Marsh Stream in the town of Frankfort (Senate Document No. 101);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing a highway in the town of Otisfield, and providing for the future maintenance thereof (Senate Document No. 102);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the construction of a bridge across the easterly part of the west channel of Sebec River, in the town of Milo (Senate Document No. 103);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the re-construction of a bridge in the town of Montville (Senate Document No. 104);

The foregoing Bill was read twice and to-morrow assigned for third reading; foregoing Resolves read once and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Mr. MURPHY from the Committee on Education reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for the construction of a central heating plant.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for enlargement and improvement of the Normal School Building.

Mr. AMES from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Washington State Normal School at Machias for the completion of the construction of the Normal School Building at said School, reported that the same be referred to the next Legislature.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Mr. POLLARD from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve for rebuilding a section of Marsh Hill in the town of Stockton Springs.

On motion of Mr. BESSE of Clinton,

Was reconsidered the vote by which this Report was accepted in non-concurrence. On further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Bridges in concurrence with the action of the Senate. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report "A" of Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of the year 1913, entitled 'An Act to provide for nomination of candidates of

political parties by primary elections' and amendments thereto," reporting that same ought to pass.

(Signed) Messrs. Hill

Garcelon

Bartlett

Clifford

Greenleaf

Report "B" of Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of the year 1913, entitled 'An Act to provide for nomination of candidates of political parties by primary elections,' and amendments thereto," reporting that same ought not to pass.

(Signed) Messrs. Walker

Lewis

Hanson

Thombs

Perkins

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, both Reports were tabled, and Thursday assigned for their consideration.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to dogs;"

Bill "An Act additional to Section 2 of Chapter 156 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the packing, shipping and sale of apples;"

Were referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of the State Board of Charities and Corrections for the years 1915 and 1916 in lieu of the sum provided by Chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913,

Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Petition of C. C. Clements and 22 others for the distribution of State school funds on the basis of the aggregate attendance as embodied in House Bill No. 79,

Was referred to the Committee on Education.

Remonstrance of C. M. Morse and 34 others of Rumford

against the passage of any bill relating to a resident hunter's license;

Remonstrances of the following against the same:

A. E. Small and 15 others;

C. E. Leighton and 53 others;

Winfield Dow and 13 others;

F. M. Burns and 25 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act conferring on married women the rights to enter into partnership relations with their husbands;"

Bill "An Act to increase the powers of the County Commissioners of Penobscot County in regard to making temporary loans additional to Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes of 1903;"

Bill "An Act to regulate fees of sheriffs and their deputies;"

Bill "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of the Supreme Judicial Court of Knox County;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 75 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to loans in anticipation of issue of bonds or notes;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section nine of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, relating to place for bringing actions;"

Resolve in favor of Hon. D. D. Stewart of St. Albans;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 272 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909 entitled 'An Act to amend the charter of the city of Belfast;'"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 65 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 10 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to burial expenses of war veterans;"

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 12 of Section 5 of Chapter

117 of the Revised Statutes, relating to certain fees of sheriffs and their deputies;”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 69 of Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes, relating to appointment of special liquor deputies by the sheriffs of the several counties, and relating to the fees of said liquor deputies:”

Bill “An Act to amend Section 53 of Chapter 125 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 107 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to compensation to be paid agents for investigation of cases of cruelty to animals;”

Bill “An Act providing for setting off debts of legatees and distributees against legacies and distributive shares;”

Bill “An Act to provide for publicity respecting the membership of mercantile partnerships and the identification of individual members in certain cases;”

Petition of C. O. Dickey and 69 others in favor of Act to incorporate the Northport Village Corporation;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Joseph W. Blaisdell and four others;

Board of Trustees of the Northport Wesleyan Grove Camp-meeting Association;

R. F. Pierce and 19 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill “An Act relative to the use of the cinematograph,”

Was referred to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Bill “An Act in relation to the operation of street railways,”

Was referred to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Bill “An Act to amend Section 38 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, as amended by Chapter 143 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to seines;”

Bill “An Act to provide for the granting of lobster licenses:”

Remonstrance of E. L. Gott and 13 others from Gott's Island against any change of law governing the length of lobsters;

Remonstrances of the following against the same:

Eugene Van Norden and 39 others from Frenchboro;

Llewellyn Joyce and 45 others from Swans Island;

Alpha Stewart and 39 others from Swans Island;

C. A. McKay and five others from Bass Harbor;

F. A. Young and 28 others from Matinicus;

H. A. Delano and 20 others from Vinal Haven;

Nelson T. Morse and 53 others from Swans Island;

Petition of H. A. Delano and 25 others of Vinal Haven to amend Chapter 144 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to seines;

Petitions of the following for the same:

F. S. Young and 27 others from Matinicus;

Eugene Van Norden and 30 others of Frenchboro;

C. A. McKay and 11 others of Bass Harbor;

E. L. Gott and one other of Gott's Island;

Nelson T. Morse and 51 others of Swans Island;

Alpha Stewart and 35 others of Swans Island;

W. L. Clayton and 18 others of Vinal Haven;

Llewellyn E. Joyce and 37 others of Swans Island;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 186 of the Public Laws of 1907, and by Chapter 22 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the presentation of claims against estates;"

Bill "An Act to repeal Section nine of Chapter 73 of the Revised Statutes, requiring the consent of overseers of the poor to sales of real estate by guardians in certain cases;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 69 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the duration of attachments;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 84 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings on demurrers;"

Bill "An Act relating to the employment of clerks in the State Departments;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 82 of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes and Section eight of Chapter 108 of the Revised Statutes, relating to venires of grand jurors;"

Bill "An Act relating to fees by clerks of courts in naturalization proceedings;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 89 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 184 of the Public Laws of 1907, Chapter 94 of the Public Laws of 1909, and Chapter 46 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the choice of assessors of taxes;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 47 of the Revised Statutes, relating to returns of lists of stockholders in banks to the Secretary of State;"

Bill "An Act relating to crossing of rights of way of railroads organized under Chapter 53 of the Revised Statutes;"

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 63 of the Public Laws of 1907, providing for filing lists of heirs in the Registry of Deeds;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section one of Chapter 44 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section three of Chapter 116 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to local sealers of weights and measures;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section six of Chapter 44 of the Revised Statutes, providing a penalty for neglect of duty by local sealers of weights and measures;"

Bill "An Act to punish escapes from jails;"

Bill "An Act relating to the payment of legacies;"

Bill "An Act to consolidate Sections 14 and 28 of Chapter

40 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the penalty for unlawful use of containers marked with registered devices, and to amend Section 39 of said Chapter, relating to search warrant therefor;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section one of Chapter 19 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to obstruction of the drainage of public ways;"

Were referred to the Special Committee on Revision of Statutes.

Petition of a resolve by the Neeburban Club of Oldtown in favor of a reformatory for women;

Petition of W. H. Powell and 39 others of Oldtown in favor of same;

Were referred to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Bill "An Act to provide for the taxation of interest-bearing deposits in national banks;"

Was referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Remonstrance of Charles C. Clements and 34 others, members of North Waldo Pomona Grange, against the sale of intoxicating liquors for medicinal and mechanical purposes and for the arts, as embodied in House Bill No. 37;

Remonstrances of the following against the same;

Harriet T. Tupper and eight others;

W. C. T. U. of Mars Hill and Blaine;

Machias Valley Grange, No. 360;

Machias W. C. T. U.

John A. Bieler and 24 others;

W. B. Burns and 246 others of Mars Hill and Blaine;

Were referred to the Committee on Temperance.

Petition of B. L. Noyes and 69 others of Hancock County, in favor of the Resolve appropriating \$500 to build approaches to the State Ferry at Eggemoggin Reach;

Petition of P. T. Clarke and 41 others of Hancock County for same;

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of suckers, eels, hornpouts and yellow perch with eel pots, traps or nets" reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of suckers, eels, hornpouts, and yellow perch, with eel pots, traps, spears or nets," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. McINTIRE from the Committee on Salary and Fees reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 352 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, relating to the Judge of the Caribou Municipal Court."

Mr. SANBORN from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 393 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, as amended by Chapter 220 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relative to salary of the Judge of Millinocket Municipal Court."

Mr. WELCH from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to increase salary of Probation Officer for the County of Cumberland and to create office of Assistant."

Mr. WILSON from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of the Judge of the Belfast Municipal Court."

Mr. DRAPEAU from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act in relation to the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of Portland."

Mr. HOLT from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 444, of the Pri-

vate and Special Laws of 1907, relating to clerk hire for the Municipal Court of the city of Lewiston."

Mr. SANBORN from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 274 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887, as amended by Chapter 360 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, relating to the Recorder of the Municipal Court for the city of Portland."

Mr. PIERCE from the Committee on Education reported same on Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for the purchase of land.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Indian Affairs, on Resolve relating to the Penobscot Tribe of Indians, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve making appropriation for the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians for the years 1915 and 1916, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The Reports were accepted, and the accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. FORD from the Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 154 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to fees of Recorder of Houlton Municipal Court, reported "ought not to pass," subject matter covered by another Bill.

Mr. McINTIRE from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 21 of Chapter 166 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to salaries of Judge and Recorder of the Piscataquis Municipal Court."

Mr. JAMESON from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 49 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to taking alewives in Damariscotta River."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to open the east side if the Damariscotta River, to the middle thereof, above the bridge along the shore in Damariscotta, to alewife fishing with nets etc."

The Reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend that part of Section five of Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, relating to regular sessions of the County Commissioners in Oxford County" (House Document No. 202);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 326 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act to regulate the use of the roads in the town of Castine'" (House Document No. 203);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Fresh Pond, so called, in the town of North Haven, in the County of Knox" (House Document No. 212);

Were read twice, and Tuesday assigned for third reading.

Resolve memorializing Congress in the interest of universal peace (House Document No. 201);

Resolve in favor of a bridge across Mattagoodus Stream in the Plantation of Webster, Penobscot County (House Document No. 204);

Resolve in favor of rebuilding a road through Lowell's Woods, so called, in the town of Penobscot (House Document No. 205);

Were read once, and Tuesday assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Mopang Dam and Improvement Company" (Senate Document No. 90);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and their report thereon accepted.

The Bill was then tabled pending third reading, on motion of Mr. WELCH of Machiasport.

Bill "An Act to amend and extend the charter of the Baker and Spencer Brook Dam and Improvement Company" (House Document No. 192);

Bill "An Act to extend the time in which the Maine Title Guarantee Company is authorized to commence business" (House Document No. 193);

Bill "An Act relating to trespass upon grounds of agricultural societies" (House Document No. 194);

Resolve in favor of the Joint Special Committee on Salaries and Fees of the Seventy-Sixth Legislature (Senate Document No. 54);

Resolve providing for co-operative work with the United States Geological Survey, under the direction of the Public Utilities Commission (Senate Document No. 56);

Resolve providing for the completion of the book of plans for Knox County, and appropriating money therefor (Senate Document No. 89);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the repair of the Machiasport and East Machias Bridge (House Document No. 185);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the repair and maintenance of the Gardiner and Randolph Bridge between Gardiner and Randolph (House Document No. 186);

Resolve appropriating money to aid the town of Forest City in repairing a bridge across the arm of Grand Lake (House Document No. 188);

Resolve in favor of Lester Patten of Hermon for a State pension (House Document No. 189);

Resolve in favor of Mary E. Elwell of Chesterville for a State pension (House Document No. 190);

Resolve in favor of Salathiel D. Seeley of Perry, in the County of Washington, for an increase of pension (House Document No. 191);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Read-

ing, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the construction of a road in the town of Moscow,

Was reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, finally passed, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Mr. THIBODEAU of Fort Kent asked and obtained unanimous consent for the purpose, and introduced out of order the following:

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 297 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the Fort Kent Village Corporation."

On motion of same gentleman,

The Bill was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. SNOW of Mars Hill,

Report of Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in a portion of Presque Isle Stream and certain tributaries to said Stream, in the County of Aroostook, reporting same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Burnt Land Brook, so called, a tributary to Presque Isle Stream, and in the East Branch of said Presque Isle Stream in the County of Aroostook," and that it ought to pass,

Which was tabled February 18, and assigned for this day, Was taken from the table.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The Report was accepted, and the accompanying Bill ordered printed under joint rules.

On motion of Mr. HOBBS of South Berwick,
Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. Tuesday,

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Haynes of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
The following message was sent to the Senate by the Clerk of the House:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the Honorable Senate to ask his Excellency the Governor, to return to the Senate "Resolve in favor of preserving the life of the fish in the several fish hatcheries and for the temporary operation of the hatcheries and feeding stations for fish in this State, and for the protection of fish, game and birds," which was finally passed in the House Wednesday, February 17, and finally passed in concurrence by the Senate Thursday, February 18; and the Senate is further requested, upon return of said Resolve, to reconsider its action whereby the same was finally passed in concurrence, and, after such reconsideration, to return said Resolve to the House for its further consideration.

The Clerk subsequently reported that he had delivered the message committed to him.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, relating to Savings Banks,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 84 of the Private and Special Laws of the year 1875, entitled 'An Act relating to the schools in the city of Portland,'"

Was referred in concurrence to the committee on Education.

Petition of Alfred L. Stevens and 130 others in favor of prohibiting night fishing with lights,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Harmony Water Company;"

Bill "An Act to consolidate and revise the laws relating to State printing and binding;"

Petition of Kate E. Ballantyne and 61 others in favor of suffrage for women;

Petition of Mrs. Georgianna Hall and 50 others remonstrating against suffrage for women;

Petitions of the following against the same:

Mrs. L. W. Brown of Gorham and four others;

Mrs. Eaville G. Abbott and 17 others;

Mrs. B. B. Thatcher and 318 others of Maine;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to provide aid for mothers with dependent children;"

Bill "An Act to define and make certain the authority of school boards over school grounds, property and buildings;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 42 of the Revised Statutes of Maine to regulate the sale of coal;"

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Augusta;"

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Oquossoc Light and Power Company;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve for an investigation of the Hancock Mutual Fire Insurance Company,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Bill "An Act to regulate hotels, lodging houses and eating houses in the city of Portland,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Portland Delegation.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 129 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the sale of cigarettes;"

Bill "An Act relating to use of morphine and other hypnotic and narcotic drugs;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine Central Railroad Company to retire a portion of its common stock and issue preferred stock in place thereof,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

At this point a message from the Senate was received through Mr. LAWRY, Secretary of that Body, stating that the Senate would forthwith make formal request of his Excellency, Oakley C. Curtis, the Governor, for the return of the Resolve whose return had previously during this day's session, been requested.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 100 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the transfer of patients from one insane hospital to the other, and to provide for the transfer of patients from the insane hospitals to the Maine School for

Feeble Minded, and for the transfer of inmates from said school to either of said hospitals,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on School for the Feeble Minded.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 44 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapters 20, 30 and 91 of the Public Laws of 1905, as further amended by Chapters 12, 35, 123 and 136 of the Public Laws of 1907, further amended by Chapter 165 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the taking of smelts,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 16 of Chapter 128 of the Revised Statutes, relating to injuries to fruit gardens;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 123 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the reception of bribes for neglect of duty by sheriffs and other officers;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 104 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to insane criminals;"

Bill "An Act relating to the payment of salaries of judges of probate;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 122 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the penalty for manufacturing or having in possession implements and materials for counterfeiting;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Special Committee on Revision of the Statutes.

Petition of Mrs. Mary Q. Quimby and 20 others in favor of a State reformatory for women,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Bill "An Act to secure information relating to the yearly cut of timber from the wild land townships;"

Bill "An Act creating the Southern Maine Forest District, and providing for protection against fires therein;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Bill "An Act establishing a uniform tax on intangible personal property,"

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Was tabled for printing pending reference to Committee on Taxation in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission,
Was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Bill "An Act to provide for a non-resident fishing license,"

Was referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 27 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the record of attachment of bulky personal property,"

Was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to regulate the hours of labor and wages of employees in the Department of Public Works, Street and Highway Departments of the cities of the State,"

Was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to create the offices of city carpenter and assistants in all cities of more than 15,000 inhabitants,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act relating to salaries of subordinate officers of the House of Representatives,"

Was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 62 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act to protect cod and other ground fish in waters off the coast of Lincoln and Sagadahoc Counties;'"

Petition of A. F. Ramsdell and five others to amend the Public Laws of 1905, Chapter 144, relative to seining herring;

Petition of C. E. Richardson and 59 others for same;

Remonstrance of Fred Fernald of Southwest Harbor and others against any change in the laws and method of measuring lobsters in this State;

Remonstrances of the following against the same:

E. A. Lawler and others of Southwest Harbor;

G. Raymond Joy and others of Eden;

Leander R. Bunker and others of Cranberry Isles;

Leslie R. Bunker and others of Sutton;

W. S. Teel and 38 others;

Leslie S. King and 18 others;

Arthur S. Spurling and others of Cranberry Isles;

L. D. Newman and 28 others of Manset;

Albert D. Moore and 19 others;

Maurice Torry and 42 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

At this point a message was received from the Senate through Mr. Lawry, Secretary of that body, transmitting the Resolve previously, at this day's session, requested from the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Was reconsidered the vote by which this Resolve,

Resolve in favor of preserving the life of the fish in the several fish hatcheries and for the temporary operation of the hatcheries and feeding stations for fish in this State, and for the protection of fish, game and birds,

Was finally passed in the House February 17.

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution of

the State a vote of at least two-thirds of the members elected to the House was required to finally pass it. The final passage of the Resolve being in order, a division of the House was had, and 126 members voted for the final passage and none against the same. The Resolve was therefore finally passed as an emergency measure. The Resolve was signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Mr. NICHOLAS from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Frank Francis, Representative of the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians.

Mr. HIGGINS from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Edgar S. Fossett, Secretary of the Committee on State Prison.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of the Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Messenger, Assistant Messenger, Mail Carrier, First Folder, Assistant Folder, Doorkeeper and Pages of the Seventy-sixth Legislature for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Mr. HOLT from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the board of dental examiners, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor the board of dental examiners, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. LORD from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Leonard A. Pierce, Chairman of the House Committee on Elections.

Mr. MAXWELL from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Secretary of the Committee on Indian Affairs to defray expenses of said Committee in visiting the Reservations at Pleasant Point and Old Town, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. RYDER from the Committee on Federal Relations reported the same on Resolve for Memorial to Congress, relative to retirement and pensions of Civil Service employees.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to provide for a closed time on bull moose," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to provide for a closed season on bull moose," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Sarah A. Robinson of Mount Vernon.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Annie L. Durham of Belfast.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve providing a State Pension for Hannah M. Condon.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve granting a Military Pension to Elias Lyon.

Mr. HOLT from the Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 211 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, as amended by Chapter 101 of the Laws of 1909, relating to salaries of Judge and Recorder of Bangor Municipal Court, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of Sanford," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to fix the salaries of the Judge and Recorder of the Municipal Court of Sanford," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. POLLARD from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve to provide for improvement of highway in the towns of Greenwood and Woodstock, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of repairing the main highway in the towns of Norway and Waterford, Oxford County.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

Mr. SANBORN of South Portland asked and obtained suspension of the rules in order to introduce, out of order, the following:

Majority report of Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving political rights to women upon equal terms with men.

(Signed) Messrs. Cole, Durgin, Sanborn, Waterhouse, Campbell, Pierce, Butler.

Minority report of same Committee, reporting "ought not to pass" on same Resolve.

(Signed) Messrs. Connors, Connellan, McCarty.

On further motion of Mr. SANBORN, both reports were tabled pending acceptance, and their consideration assigned for Tuesday.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Ward's Brook and in Ward's Pond, in the town of Fryeburg, in Oxford County" (House Document No. 213);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of muskrats in the town of Fryeburg, in the County of Oxford, and in the town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland" (House Document No. 214);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in North Branch Brook and its tributaries,

in the County of Cumberland" (House Document No. 215);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 49 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relative to log-haulers" (House Document No. 219);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Burnt Land Brook, so called, a tributary to Presque Isle Stream, and in the East Branch of said Presque Isle Stream, in the County of Aroostook" (House Document No. 267);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of suckers, eels, hornpouts and yellow perch with eel pots, traps, spear or nets" (House Document No. 270);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 274 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887, as amended by Chapter 360 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, relating to salary of the Recorder of the Municipal Court for the city of Portland" (House Document No. 271);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 444, of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to clerk hire for the Municipal Court of the city of Lewiston" (House Document No. 272);

Bill "An Act relating to the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of Portland" (House Document No. 273);

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Judge of the Belfast Municipal Court" (House Document No. 274);

Bill "An Act to amend the Special Law of the year 1905, entitled 'An Act to provide for the appointment of a probation officer for the County of Cumberland'" (House Document No. 275);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 393 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, as amended by Chapter 220

of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relative to salary of the Judge of Millinocket Municipal Court" (House Document No. 276) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 352 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, relating to the salary of the Judge of Caribou Municipal Court" (House Document No. 277) ,

Were read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Resolve in favor of the purchase of the Maine State Year Book for the years 1915 and 1916 (House Document No. 218) ;

Resolve in favor of the purchase of 125 copies of the History of Buckfield (House Document No. 217) ;

Resolve for an appropriation for traveling libraries suitable for high schools in towns having no public libraries (House Document No. 216) ;

Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey certain lands in the public lots in Plantation Number 33, in Hancock County (House Document No. 220) ;

Resolve to maintain the State Forest Nursery and to encourage the reforestation of the waste lands of Maine (House Document No. 221) ;

Resolve in favor of the town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland (House Document No. 222) ;

Resolve for further public instruction in Forestry (House Document No. 223) ;

Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for the purchase of land (House Document No. 266) ;

Resolve making appropriation for Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians for the years 1915 and 1916 (House Document No. 268) ;

Resolve in favor of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians for the general care, maintenance, relief and education thereof (House Document No. 269) ;

Were read once, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act for the relief of the needy blind residents of Maine" (Senate Document No. 61);

Bill "An Act to amend that part of Section 5 of Chapter 80, of the Revised Statutes of Maine, as amended by Chapter 11 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to regular sessions of the County Commissioners of Oxford County" (House Document No. 202);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 326 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act to regulate the use of the roads in the town of Castine'" (House Document No. 203);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Fresh Pond, so called, in the town of North Haven, in the County of Knox" (House Document No. 212);

Resolve appropriating money for the reconstruction of Lord Bridge over Marsh Stream in the town of Frankfort (Senate Document No. 101);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing a highway in the town of Otisfield, and providing for the future maintenance thereof (Senate Document No. 102);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the construction of a bridge across the easterly part of the west channel of Sebec River, in the town of Milo (Senate Document No. 103);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the reconstruction of a bridge in the town of Montville (Senate Document No. 104);

Resolve memorializing Congress in the interest of universal peace (House Document No. 201);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the construction of a bridge across Mattagoodus Stream in the Plantation of Webster, Penobscot County (House Document No. 204);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in rebuilding a road through Lowell's woods, so called, in the town of Penobscot (House Document No. 205);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing and altering the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset;

Resolve appropriating money to aid in improving a highway in Caratunk Plantation;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, finally passed, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Bill "An Act to enlarge the purposes and powers of the Cleveland Concrete Building Block Company" (House Document No. 123),

Which was tabled pending third reading, February 16, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of same gentleman,

Order directing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs to inquire into the expediency of changing the date of the ending of the State fiscal year from December 31 to June 30, and report by bill or otherwise,

Which was tabled for printing pending passage, February 17, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of Mr. PLUMMER, was read and passed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. BROWN of Auburn,

Bill "An Act to provide for the convenience of travelers upon electric roads,"

Which was tabled pending acceptance, February 2, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table.

Mr. BROWN moved to substitute the Bill for the Report of the Committee.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered.

The question being on the motion of Mr. BROWN to substitute the Bill for the adverse report of the Committee, the motion prevailed by the vote of 69 to 64.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Goodwin	Perkins
Ames	Gould	Peterson
Averill	Greenleaf	Picher
Ballard	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Plummer
Benn	Lawrence	Pollard
Bernier	Lewis	Russell (Alfred)
Blake (Oakland)	Libby	Russell (Lewiston)
Bourque	Lord	St. Clair (Calais)
Bradbury	Mansir	Small
Brawn	Maxwell	Smith
Brown (Auburn)	McCarty	Tabbutt
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	McCorrison	Tate
Campbell	McCurdy	Thibodeau
Chadbourne	McIntire	Tobey
Clement	Michaud	Turner
Clifford	Millett	Wasgatt
Coffin	Mitchell	Webb
Dilling	Mulligan	Welch
Douglass	Mullin	Wescott
Durgain	Neilon	Wilkins
Dutton	Newell	Wilson
Edwards	Peabbles	Woodman
Evans	Perham	Wyman—69

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Bragdon	Gallagher	Morrison
Brann	Gerrish	Morse
Bussey	Gilmour	Nicholas
Carson	Goldthwait	O'Connell
Chaplin	Gooding	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Chamberlin	Grant	Pierce (Houlton)
Cobb	Greaton	Ranney
Colcord	Greenlaw	Ricker
Connellan	Hanson (Saco)	Roberts
Connors	Hanson (Sanford)	Ryder
Corliss	Haraden	St. Clair (Rockland)
Currier	Hart	Sanborn
Danforth	Haskell	Snow
Davis	Higgins	Thombs
Descoteaux	Hill	Towle
Drapeau	Hodgkins	Trafton
Drummond	Jameson	Tuttle
Ellis	Jordan	Ward
Erskine	Littlefield	Washburn
Fay	Lombard	Waterhouse—64
Ford	McKinley	
Fossett	McNally	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Allen	Greeley	Noyes
Beal	Harper	Robinson
Besse	Hobbs	Varney
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Holt (Skowhegan)	Watts
Bonney	Leader	Wheeler
Daigle	Meador	Wise—18

On further motion of Mr. BROWN of Auburn,
The Bill was tabled for printing pending recommittal.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,

Resolve for the building of a bridge across Kenduskeag Stream in the town of Corinth, Penobscot County (House Document No. 184),

Which was tabled pending second reading, February 18, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of same gentleman,

Resolve in favor of repairing the new Kenduskeag Road in the town of Glenburn (House Document No. 187),

Which was tabled pending second reading, February 18, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

ORDERED, That the Clerk of the House be authorized to censor the report of the debates of this session so as to make it conform to a fair sense of propriety.

On motion of Mr. AVERILL of Prentiss,

Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. to-morrow, Wednesday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Quimby of Gardiner.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Petition of C. R. Hill and seven others of Winterport for passage of "Resolve in favor of Gorham P. Grant to refund money paid in lieu of military service in the late War of the Rebellion,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Claims.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the twenty-second Annual Report upon the births, marriages, divorces and deaths in the State of Maine for the year ending December 31, 1913.

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act relating to salaries of subordinate officers of the Senate,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 21 of Chapter 69, Revised Statutes, relating to compensation of guardians,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Special Committee on Revision of the Statutes.

Remonstrance of Judson M. Straight and 32 others of Blaine and Mars Hill against the passage of House Document No. 37, "An Act to provide for the sale of intoxicating liquors for medicinal and mechanical purposes and for the arts;"

Remonstrance of the Christian Churches of Blaine and East Blaine against the passage of House Bill No. 37;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Temperance.

Petition of Ansel Holway and 27 others of Norridgewock for the repeal of the law for highway commissioners,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Report of Committee on Banks and Banking, reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, in relation to Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings."

Report of the same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 21 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 69 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to deposits in Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings in the names of married women and minors."

Report of the Committee on Education reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for furnishings at the new dormitory at said School.

Report of the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for completion of the partially constructed dormitory at said school.

Report of the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve in favor of the Aroostook State Normal School at Presque Isle for repairs.

Report of the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for construction of a suitable building for the Household Arts Department.

Report of the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for completing the furnishings at the dormitory of said School.

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice and Resolves read once, and to-morrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 8 and 9, Chapter 206, of the

Public Laws of 1913, relating to fish and game laws," reporting that the same be placed on file, as the subject matter is covered by another Bill reported by this Committee.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend subdivision "F" of Section 23 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes with reference to the investment of deposits of savings banks and institutions for savings,"

Was referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 182 of the Public Laws of 1907, providing that flags shall be furnished to schools;"

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 7 of Section 100 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the course of study in common schools;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 71 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the improvement of free high schools;"

Petition of Harold Feeney and 39 others of Jonesboro in favor of changing the method of distributing our common school money according to Chapter 177 of the Public Laws of Maine;

The following resolutions were presented in favor of distribution of State school funds according to aggregate attendance:

Hebron Grange, representing 80 members;

East Hebron Grange, representing 157 members;

Bear River Grange, representing 81 members;

Mount Sugar Loaf Grange representing 87 members;

Pleasant Valley Grange, representing 68 members;

Canaan Grange, representing 420 members;

Franklin Grange, representing 224 members;

Woolwich Grange, representing 149 members;

Buckfield Grange, representing 90 members;
Rockemeka Grange, representing 75 members;
Canton Grange, representing 229 members;
Fryeburg Grange, representing 142 members;
Mount Cutler Grange, representing 91 members;
Frederick Robie Grange, representing 82 members;
Waterford Grange representing 46 members;
Oxford Grange representing 75 members;
Sweden Grange, representing 59 members;
Norway Grange, representing 295 members;
West Paris Grange, representing 159 members;
Paris Grange, representing 215 members;
Haynesville Grange representing 35 members;
Harmony Grange, representing 175 members;
Hope Grange, representing 75 members;
Golden Sheaf Grange, representing 300 members;
Mountain View Grange, representing 31 members;
Alder River Grange, representing 62 members;
East Piscataquis Pomona Grange, representing 475 members;
Enterprise Grange, representing 113 members;
Dirigo Grange, representing 142 members;
Mountain Grange, representing 160 members;
North Franklin Grange, representing 211 members;
New Century Grange, representing 111 members;
Abbott Grange, representing 120 members;
Alamoosook Grange, representing 70 members;
Penobscot Grange, representing 108 members;

Floral Grange, representing 75 members;
Castine Grange, representing 147 members;
East Sangerville Grange, representing 100 members;
Harvest Home Grange, representing 66 members;
Massapaqua Grange, representing 120 members;
Georges River Grange, representing 73 members;
Minerva Grange, representing 246 members;
Verona Grange, representing 161 members;
Seaside Grange, representing 98 members;
Penobscot View Grange, representing 100 members;
Bayside Grange, representing 180 members;
Cushnoc Grange, representing 153 members;
Clinton Grange, representing 285 members;
Pittston Grange, representing 71 members;
Mattanawcook Grange representing 140 members;
Sidney Grange, representing 236 members;
Riverside Grange, representing 74 members;
Monmouth Grange, representing 288 members;
Readfield Grange, representing 245 members;
Capital Grange, representing 200 members;
Winthrop Grange, representing 210 members;
Mt. Vernon Grange, representing 137 members;
China Grange, representing 145 members;
Wayne Grange, representing 90 members;
Chelsea Grange representing 119 members;
Litchfield Grange, representing 51 members;
Manchester Grange, representing 120 members;

New Sharon Grange, representing 91 members;
Topsham Grange, representing 320 members;
Merrymeeting Grange, representing 189 members;
Pine Tree Grange, representing 190 members;
Sagadahoc Grange, representing 151 members;
North Scarboro Grange, representing 161 members;
Cascade Grange, representing 320 members;
Norland Grange, representing 240 members;
Greenwood Grange, representing 142 members;
Wilson Valley Grange representing 53 members;
Lakeside Grange, representing 120 members;
Mystic Tie Grange, representing 175 members;
Morning Light Grange, representing 223 members;
Valley Grange, representing 44 members;
Aurora Grange, representing 160 members;
Glenwood Valley Grange, representing 43 members;
Dirigo Grange, representing 120 members;
Goodwin's Mills Grange, representing 70 members;
Narraguagus Grange, representing 25 members;
Highland Grange representing 50 members;
Lakeview Grange, representing 84 members;
East Eddington Grange, representing 140 members;
Highland Grange, representing 89 members;
Starling Grange, representing 116 members;
Monticello Grange, representing 281 members;
Houlton Grange, representing 1058 members;
Branch Mills Grange, representing 100 members;

Alewife Grange, representing 74 members;
East Bluehill Grange, representing 168 members;
Forest Grange, representing 190 members;
Tranquility Grange, representing 117 members;
Olamon Grange representing 65 members;
Union Grange, representing 160 members;
Sheepscot Lake Grange, representing 75 members;
Limerock Valley Grange, representing 400 members;
Bucks Harbor Grange, representing 180 members;
Pembroke Grange, representing 110 members;
Indian River Grange, representing 72 members;
Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in certain waters in Oxford County;"

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Pleasant Pond, Mud Pond, Horseshoe Pond and Oxbow Pond situated in the Counties of Kennebec and Sagadahoc;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Kingsbury Pond, in Somerset and Piscataquis Counties, and in Bennett Ponds, so called, in Guilford, in Piscataquis County;"

Petition of Charles D. Freeman and 67 others in protest against the passage of the resident hunter's license Bill;

Remonstrances of the following against the same:

Oliver G. Lombard and 46 others;

Warren Follette and 41 others;

W. S. Cates and 11 others;

Remonstrance of Robert Hafford and 35 others against the closing of Fall Brook to fishing;

Remonstrance of Charles E. Jones and 34 others against the closing of First, Second, Third and Fourth Nigger Brook Lakes for fishing;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 36 of Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 41 of the Laws of 1907, in relation to bail commissioners;"

Bill "An Act to make uniform the law of acknowledgements to deeds or other instruments taken outside the United States;"

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, relating to town agent,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 131 of the Public Laws of 1911 as amended by Chapter 114 of the Laws of 1913, relating to taxing insurance companies not authorized to do business in Maine,"

Was referred to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Bill "An Act to provide for licenses for transportation of lobsters beyond the limits of the State;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to sea and shore fisheries;"

Petition of Raymond Bickford and nine others of Gouldsboro remonstrating against change in the present State lobster law;

Petition of Fred S. Young and 35 others of Winter Harbor remonstrating against any change in the present law for catching herring east of the Whitehead; also petition of Raymond Bickford and nine others of Gouldsboro against same;

Remonstrance of Leon C. Staples and 25 others of North Haven against any change in the law governing the length of the lobster;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Petition of E. R. Leach and 46 other legal voters of the town of Newport in favor of an appropriation by the State of Maine in aid to the town of Plymouth, Maine, for the repairing and rebuilding of Long Bridge, so called in said town of Plymouth; also petition of E. O. Varney and 47 other legal voters of the town of Plymouth in favor of same,

Was referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Bill "An Act to amend that part of Section 51 of Chapter 70 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Maine, relating to the regular sessions of the Supreme Judicial Court held in and for the County of York,"

Was referred to the York County Delegation.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 74 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to live stock."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, reported "ought to pass" in a new draft on Bill "An Act to provide for the semi-monthly payment for cream and milk."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve assenting to the provisions of an Act of the Congress of the United States relating to co-operative agricultural work.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve making an appropriation for co-operative agricultural work between the College of Agriculture of the University of Maine and the United States Department of Agriculture.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" in new draft, under same title, of Resolve in favor of the Maine Seed Improvement Association.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" in new draft, under the same title, on Resolve for further improvement in the methods of marketing the farm products and purchasing the supplies for the farm.

Mr. DAVIS from the Committee on Interior Waters reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend an Act to incorporate the Sawtelle Brook Dam and Improvement Company."

Mr. GILMOUR from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 285 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relative to the water rights of the Dover and Foxcroft Water District."

Mr. DAVIS from the same Committee reported same on amended Resolve in aid of navigation on Moosehead Lake.

Mr. GILMOUR from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to authorize the Kennebec Lumber Company to maintain piers and booms in Kennebec River, above Augusta Dam," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to authorize the Kennebec Lumber Company to maintain piers and booms in Kennebec River above Augusta Dam," and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. DESCOTEAUX from the Committee on Labor reported "ought to pass" in a new draft, under same title, on Bill "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors."

On motion of Mr. FAY of Dexter, the report was tabled pending acceptance, for printing of new draft of Bill.

Mr. HOLT from the Committee on Salaries and Fees reported the same on Bill "An Act to increase the salary of the Recorder of the Houlton Municipal Court."

Mr. THOMBS from the Special Committee on Revision of

the Statutes reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 23 and 24 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to filling vacancies in nominations made at primary elections."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 8, 46 and 54 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the compensation of committees in highway proceedings."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 53 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the duties of executors and administrators."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 19 and 20 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the bond and records of the Register of Probate."

Mr. PIERCE from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 3 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 138 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the printing of the reports of the State Departments."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 47 of Chapter 2 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the notification of appointments and qualifications of Justices of the Peace, Trial Justices and Notaries Public."

The same gentleman from same Committee reported the same on Bill, "An Act to amend Section 54 of Chapter 2 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the bond of the Treasurer of State."

Mr. GREENLEAF from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 2 of Section 13 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes so that the same may conform to Paragraph 1 of said Section, as amended."

Mr. McCARTY from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to fix the standard weight of certain commodities

not included in Section 39 of Chapter 39 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 134 of the Public Laws of 1913, and to correct the standard weight of a bushel of dried apples and to change the standard weight of a barrel of potatoes."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 69 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of guardians of persons over 21 years of age;"

Mr. POLLARD from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported the same on Resolve in favor of repairing a highway in the town of Solon.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" in a new draft, under the same title, on Resolve in favor of the Aroostook River Bridge in the town of Ashland.

Mr. COBB from the same Committee, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, on Resolve in favor of building a road around Cook Hill in the town of Jackson.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the town of Crystal to aid in the building of a bridge over Fish Stream, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in building a bridge in the town of Crystal, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. POLLARD from the same Committee, on Resolve for aid in building a highway bridge across Carrabassett River in Kingfield Village in the County of Franklin, reported the same in a new draft under title of Resolve for aid in building a highway bridge across Carrabassett River in the town of Kingfield and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve for the purpose of constructing an experimental storage plant at Highmoor Farm.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

Mr. DAVIS from the Committee on Interior Waters reported the same on Resolve in aid of navigation on Moosehead Lake.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan, the report was tabled pending acceptance.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture reported the same on Bill "An Act to provide that the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner shall be a veterinary surgeon."

Mr. POLLARD from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported the same on Bill "An Act to enable the County of Sagadahoc to rebuild Merrymeeting Bay Bridge."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Jerusalem and Crocker Townships in Franklin County, for the repair and permanent improvement of highways.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of repairing County Road leading through Brewer, Holden and Dedham to Ellsworth.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Ward's Brook and in Ward's Pond in the town of Fryeburg in Oxford County" (House Document No. 213);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of muskrats in the town of Fryeburg, in the County of Oxford, and in the town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland" (House Document No. 214);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in North Branch Brook and its tributaries, in the County of Cumberland" (House Document No. 215);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 49 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relative to loghaulers" (House Document No. 219);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Burnt Land Brook, so called, a tributary to Presque Isle Stream and in the East Branch of said Presque Isle Stream in the County of Aroostook" (House Document No. 267);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 274 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887 as amended by Chapter 360 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, relating to salary of the Recorder of the Municipal Court for the city of Portland" (House Document No. 271);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 444 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to clerk hire for the Municipal Court of the city of Lewiston" (House Document No. 272);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 150 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 515 of the Laws of 1897, relating to the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of the city of Portland" (House Document No. 273);

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Judge of the Belfast Municipal Court" (House Document No. 274);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 346 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, relating to the appointment of an assistant probation officer for the County of Cumberland, and to an increase of salary for the probation officer" (House Document No. 275);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 393 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, as amended by Chapter 220 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relative to salary of the Judge of Millinocket Municipal Court" (House Document No. 276);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 352 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, relating to the salary of the Judge of Caribou Municipal Court" (House Document No. 277);

Resolve for an appropriation for traveling libraries suitable for high schools in towns having no public libraries (House Document No. 216);

Resolve appropriating money for the purchase of 125 copies of the History of Buckfield (House Document No. 217);

Resolve appropriating money for the purchase of the Maine State Year Book for the years 1915 and 1916 (House Document No. 218);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Resolve authorizing the land agent to sell and convey certain lands in the public lots in Plantation No. 33 in Hancock County (House Document No. 220);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and its report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading, and Friday assigned for its consideration.

Resolve appropriating money to maintain the State Forest Nursery and to encourage the reforestation of the waste lands of Maine (House Document No. 221);

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland, relating to the conveyance of a certain lot or parcel of land (House Document No. 222);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, was tabled pending second reading, and Thursday assigned for its consideration.

Resolve appropriating money for further public instruction in Forestry (House Document No. 223);

Resolve appropriating money for the Farmington State Normal School for the purchase of land (House Document No. 266) ;

Resolve appropriating money to aid the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians for the years 1915 and 1916 (House Document No. 268) ;

Resolve in favor of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians for the general care, maintenance, relief and education thereof (House Document No. 269) ;

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Papers from the Senate.

STATE OF MAINE.

Executive Department.

To the Honorable Senate:

Senate Resolve No. 41, in favor of Bridges in the town of Dresden presented to me for approval on the 18th inst., is returned herewith unsigned.

In stating the objections, as required by the Constitution, your indulgence is requested, that sufficient latitude be permitted to explain the conditions prompting such action.

There is no opposition to the sum of five hundred dollars, as proposed in the Resolve, no objection to the purpose of the expenditure, and no antagonism, to the town of Dresden or any other town.

No doubt the proposition is worthy, and the assistance asked for is needed, or otherwise it would not have been recommended by your committee, and finally passed by both branches of the Legislature.

This Resolve chances to be the first presented to me to be included in a specific line of appropriation under the title of "Ways and Bridges."

The exact weight of a Resolve proposing an appropriation is not entirely clear to me. It may have the force of Law, or

it may be in the nature of recommendation to include a specific item in the final appropriation bill.

It may be a question whether a Resolve proposing an expenditure of money which is duly passed and approved and not included in the regular appropriation bill carries any force of Law.

If a Resolve has such a force, what is the need of an appropriation bill, and if both the Resolve and appropriation act are Law, is it a double appropriation, if it is included in each?

If a Resolve has no force of Law, then of course an appropriation bill is necessary. If it does have such weight then it would appear, that it must be paid whether it is included in the appropriation bill or not, but Article 5, of the Constitution provides, that no money shall be drawn from the Treasury but by the Warrant of the Governor with the advice and consent of the Council and in consequence of appropriations made by Law.

The Appropriation Act is the only Law which authorizes the Governor to draw his Warrant on the State Treasurer. The Resolve does not carry this authority.

At any rate it is not my intention to sign a number of Resolves of this nature and then, later on, possibly be forced, by lack of revenue, to send back others of greater importance.

We have three classes of Appropriations to care for, one is the necessary, another the mandatory whether it is necessary or not, and the other is optional.

The fixed charges are necessary and the mandatory might be termed the same, as the Law commands it, but many expenditures under this title should be optional.

Under the optional there are such items as "Ways and Bridges," "Charitable and Benevolent," "New Buildings," etc., and of course some of the fixed charges may be optional by decreasing or increasing the efficiency of the service.

There appears to be no question that "Ways and Bridges" and "Charitable and Benevolent" items are purely optional and peculiar to themselves.

Apparently we are practically forced to consider them after the fixed charges have been provided for and then, if there is any available revenue remaining, it can be used for such purposes.

No doubt, there are people who will argue, that the taxes should be increased for this purpose, but that does not seem advisable to me under the present conditions.

Each year appropriations are made for "Ways and Bridges" but the aggregate amount of the appropriations is dependent upon the "Ways and Means" to provide the funds.

Numerous requests have been made from all sections of the State, and all of more or less importance, and there appear to be calls for about seven hundred thousand dollars for consideration.

A certain number of such Resolves will undoubtedly be passed by this Legislature; but many more must be refused for want of revenue to meet the demand.

In view of the fact that it is impossible for you to allow all of the requests, it is difficult to see how you can give a correct analysis of the compound proposition until you arrive at some conclusion as to just what will be eliminated; and when this is accomplished the problem is easy and the total is in sight.

The opportunity has been afforded you to investigate the needs of all these requests; and your judgment on the actual merit of each Resolve should be superior to mine, as no evidence may be submitted to me.

It is not anticipated that any occasion will arise which will cause me to object to any specific appropriation for this purpose; although, of course, it is possible.

All these Resolves for this session are now before you and doubtless you will consider them in proper order as their urgency may appeal to you.

Beyond question you have so concluded on this particular item in favor of the town of Dresden; and although it was returned to you, it is to be expected that you will care for it in the regular appropriation bill at the proper time.

The question which interests me, at this time, is the total amount of the Resolves you will pass, for the purpose of "Ways and Bridges."

Now, that you have all of these Resolves before you, is it unreasonable, for me, to request this information? If so, it is hoped you will so inform me, and I shall patiently await

your pleasure, but in the meantime will be under the painful necessity of returning to you, all such Resolves unsigned.

Of course, it is patent to you as business men, that there must be a limit, over which, the State can not reasonably provide.

The State Departments and Institutions must be maintained beyond question; the general expenses of these are constantly increasing, and little, if any, curtailment can be reasonably made in their allotment.

A comparatively small amount is available for what may be termed outside purposes, such as these mentioned.

The probable income of the State has been carefully considered, and with this in view, the sum of one hundred twenty-five thousand dollars for the two years is deemed a reasonable figure as a total for "Ways and Bridges."

It is possible, of course, that you may not agree with me, on this estimate.

Unquestionably you have the power to pass Resolves for Appropriations to any extent you desire for one object or another, even if it reaches the millions, for "Ways and Bridges" alone, and the only check is the veto power of the Governor, over which you can go by a two-thirds vote, but of course, you must provide the revenue, and consequently the whole responsibility rests with you.

As stated in my Inaugural Address, it is not my intention to attempt to interfere with your rights, and trust this has not been the case. It will be my aim to exercise whatever power is vested in me toward the promotion of a fair and just appropriation bill, and feel sure you will co-operate with me to this end, after the whole problem is considered and understood.

A fair and just appropriation bill, to my mind, is one, which can be comfortably cared for by a reasonably dependable income without excessive taxation.

You will readily understand, that my view point, is limited to the income, regardless of the importunities of the many wishing accommodation. If you provide more income, my range of vision might change accordingly.

Right here it might be proper to state that the "Charitable and Benevolent" items will be considered by me in the same manner as "Ways and Bridges."

A limit has been estimated on that proposition also, and my interest will be the same; which means the total amount only.

It is to be hoped these remarks will not be considered a note of defiance for you are assured that none is intended, but merely suggests the advisability of systematizing the problem by collecting together the most urgent measures and consummating a total within a reasonable limit, which can be passed on intelligently by anyone not acquainted with the details.

To explain a little further regarding the proposition of "Ways and Bridges," it is proper to say, that I conferred with the Chairman of your Committee, at his request, and being informed by him, since that time, that the Committee will recommend a larger amount than a hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, there appears to be no alternative than to return these Resolves until such a time as an exhibit can be made whereby the most urgent of them can be embodied within the said limit.

If this can not be accomplished, then surely some curtailment must be insisted upon elsewhere, or otherwise direct taxation on the people will be compulsory. If you wish to support larger expenditures in this direction, in place of the "Charitable and Benevolent," and not exceed the estimate for both, it will meet no opposition from me.

If I may be so bold as to suggest it, possibly some curtailment could be made in the expense of Legislative printing, for if my information is correct, the expense of this work under Governor Fernald's Administration in 1909, was \$34,327.06; under Governor Plaisted's in 1911, it was \$20,809.40; and under Governor Haines' in 1913, the amount was \$34,471.95 and naturally there was a corresponding difference in the binding.

This of course, is optional with you, as it can be made large or small as you may choose, and the Governor has no control over the amount which you may order, unless he has the right of veto on any order carrying the expenditure of money. I simply refer to this as an illustration, but no doubt other avenues could be controlled where more or less saving could be secured.

If it is possible for you to save \$14,000 on the Legislative

printing, it would go a long way towards providing assistance to some of the worthy Charitable Institutions which are properly calling for aid, or perhaps repair a few small bridges.

As already intimated, my only object is to secure a total appropriation for all matters which will come within the total income, and am perfectly willing to leave the distribution in detail to your good judgment, unless some special information comes to me, which might call for objections, in which case, it will be submitted to you.

No information in my possession indicates any increased revenue for the use of this administration, but it is evident that in some departments there will be increased expenses.

The consequence is, that curtailment must necessarily be made wherever possible to offset the inevitable increase in other directions.

I regret the seeming necessity which forces me, to voice the sentiments which control me in this matter, and more especially that the exemplification of the principle I wish to follow should fall upon this particular Resolve carrying a small appropriation of five hundred dollars and the merit of which is not questioned, but in the interest of sound and conservative administration, some system appears to be required to accomplish the proper results commensurate with the resources.

It is certainly to be hoped that these remarks, will not be construed as an attempt to arrogate my judgment over that of the unquestionable intelligence of your august body, but that it will be received as a suggestion only, that the cold facts of the revenue resource must be overlooked.

Although the system of arriving at an appropriation bill is crude, confusing and unbusinesslike, it is through no fault of yours or mine. It is difficult in the limited time and busy activity of a Legislative session to depart from oldtime custom, but it is hoped that we may co-operate in such a manner, that the people whom we represent will feel, that we have done our best, under the circumstances.

Let me repeat, I do not anticipate any occasion which will call for a veto of any Resolve on its merits alone.

I have the greatest faith in your integrity and ability to allot these appropriations, fairly and justly without interference from me. I have no personal interest in any of them, except

the general welfare. If I feel obliged to return such Resolves, it will probably be in the interest of the total appropriation, and not in opposition to the merit of the bills which have had your careful consideration.

February 23, 1915.

OAKLEY C. CURTIS,

Governor.

The SPEAKER: This resolve is now before the House, and the question is, Shall this resolve be finally passed notwithstanding the objections of the Governor thereto? The vote in such a case must be taken by the yeas and nays. The clerk will call the roll.

Albert	Coffin	Grant
Allen	Colcord	Greaton
Ames	Connellan	Greeley
Averill	Conners	Greenlaw
Ballard	Corliss	Greenleaf
Beal	Currier	Hanson (Saco)
Benn	Danforth	Hanson (Sanford)
Bernier	Davis	Haraden
Besse	Descoteaux	Hart
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Douglass	Higgins
Blake (Oakland)	Drapeau	Hill
Bonney	Drummond	Hobbs
Bourque	Durgain	Hodgkins
Bradbury	Dutton	Holt (Gouldsboro)
Bragdon	Edwards	Holt (Skowhegan)
Brann	Ellis	Jameson
Brawn	Erskine	Jordan
Brown (Auburn)	Evans	Lawrence
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Fay	Lewis
Bussey	Ford	Libby
Campbell	Fossett	Littlefield
Carson	Gallagher	Lombard
Chadbourne	Gerrish	Lord
Chaplin	Gilmour	Mansir
Chamberlin	Goldthwait	Maxwell
Clement	Gooding	McCarty
Clifford	Goodwin	McCorrison
Cobb	Gould	McCurdy

McIntire	Pierce (Houlton)	Tobey
McKinley	Plummer	Towle
McNally	Pollard	Trafton
Michaud	Ranney	Turner
Millett	Ricker	Tuttle
Mitchell	Roberts	Varney
Morrison	Robinson	Ward
Morse	Russell (Alfred)	Wasgatt
Mulligan	Russell (Lewiston)	Washburn
Mullin	Ryder	Waterhouse
Neilon	St. Clair (Calais)	Webb
Newell	St. Clair (Rockland)	Welch
Nicholas	Sanborn	Wescott
Noyes	Small	Wheeler
O'Connell	Smith	Wilkins
Peabbles	Snow	Wilson
Perham	Tabbutt	Wise
Peterson	Tate	Woodman
Picher	Thibodeau	Wyman—143
Pierce (Farmington)	Thombs	

None voted "nay."

Those who were absent were Messrs.:

Daigle	Haskell	Perkins
Dilling	Leader	Watts—8
Harper	Meader	

One hundred and forty-three having voted in the affirmative and none in the negative, the Resolve was finally passed by the House, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor.

STATE OF MAINE.

Executive Department.

To the Honorable Senate:

Senate Document No. 33, in favor of the town of Whitefield, is returned herewith unsigned.

There is no objection to the amount of the Resolve or the purpose of expenditure, but the objection is on account of the uncertainty of the total amount you will appropriate for "Ways

and Bridges," as explained in my previous remarks regarding the Resolve in favor of the town of Dresden.

I trust this bill also will be properly cared for at the proper time in the regular appropriation bill for this purpose.

February 23, 1915.

OAKLEY C. CURTIS,

Governor.

The SPEAKER: The question before the House is, *Shall* this resolve be finally passed notwithstanding the objection of the Governor thereto? This requires under the provisions of the Constitution a yea and nay vote and it requires a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to this House. Those in favor of the final passage of the Resolve, notwithstanding the Governor's objection thereto, when their names are called will answer yes; those opposed will answer no. The clerk will call the roll.

Those who voted "yea" were Messrs.:

Albert	Chadbourne	Erskin
Allen	Chaplin	Evans
Ames	Chamberlin	Fay
Averill	Clement	Ford
Ballard	Clifford	Fossett
Beal	Cobb	Gerrish
Benn	Coffin	Gilmour
Bernier	Colcord	Gallagher
Besse	Connellan	Goldthwait
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Connors	Gooding
Blake (Oakland)	Corliss	Goodwin
Bonney	Currier	Gould
Bourque	Danforth	Grant
Bradbury	Davis	Greaton
Bragdon	Descoteaux	Greeley
Brann	Douglass	Greenlaw
Brawn	Drapeau	Greenleaf
Brown (Auburn)	Drummond	Hanson (Saco)
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Durgain	Hanson (Sanford)
Bussey	Dutton	Haraden
Campbell	Edwards	Hart
Carson	Ellis	Higgins

Hill	Mullin	Smith
Hobbs	Neilon	Snow
Hodgkins	Newell	Tabbutt
Holt (Gouldsboro)	Nicholas	Tate
Holt (Skowhegan)	Noyes	Thibodeau
Jameson	O'Connell	Thombs
Jordan	Peabbles	Tobey
Lawrence	Perham	Towle
Lewis	Peterson	Trafton
Libby	Picher	Turner
Lombard	Pierce (Farmington)	Tuttle
Lord	Pierce (Houlton)	Varney
Mansir	Plummer	Ward
Maxwell	Pollard	Wasgatt
McCarty	Ranney	Washburn
McCorrison	Ricker	Waterhouse
McCurdy	Roberts	Webb
McIntire	Robinson	Welch
McKinley	Russell (Alfred)	Wescott
McNally	Russell (Lewiston)	Wheeler
Michaud	Ryder	Wilkins
Millett	St. Clair (Calais)	Wilson
Mitchell	St. Clair (Rockland)	Wise
Morrison	Sanborn	Woodman
Morse	Small	Wyman—141

Those who voted "nay" were none.

Those who were absent were Messrs.:

Daigle	Leader	Perkins
Dilling	Littlefield	Watts—10
Harper	Meader	
Haskell	Mulligan	

One hundred and forty-one having voted in the affirmative and none in the negative, the Resolve was finally passed by the House, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 68 of the Revised Statutes, relative to claims against insolvent estates."

Bill "An Act to enable the town of Rangeley to make a fill-in

and maintain a dam at the outlet of Haley Pond for a park and sanitary purposes."

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Englishmens River Dyke Company."

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Little Dyer's Pond, in the town of Jefferson, in the County of Lincoln."

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in certain ponds in Oxford County."

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Jimmy Pond in Litchfield, in Kennebec County, and in the outlet stream of said Pond."

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Island Pond and its tributaries, in the towns of Harrison and Waterford, in the Counties of Cumberland and Oxford."

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Androscoggin Lake, in the Counties of Androscoggin and Kennebec."

Bill "An Act to prevent the pollution of the Water of Wilson Lake."

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 53 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the driving of automobiles on the turnpike road in the towns of Camden and Lincolnville."

Bill "An Act to lessen frauds in the name of charity."

Bill "An Act for the better protection of shell fish within the town of Old Orchard, in the County of York."

Bill "An Act conferring jurisdiction to grant judgments declaring citizenship, residence and domicile."

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Lake Hebron, in Monson, in the County of Piscataquis."

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Pattee's Pond, and in a portion of Wilson Brook, a tributary to the outlet of said Pond in Kennebec County."

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Hooper Pond, and its tributaries in the town of Greene, in the County of Androscoggin."

Resolve appropriating money to aid in widening the turnpike road in Camden and Lincolnville and providing for the future maintenance thereof.

Resolve appropriating money to aid the Plantation of Wallagrass in constructing a bridge.

Resolve appropriating money to aid the Plantation of New Canada in constructing a bridge across Perley Brook.

Resolve granting to Ernest F. Merrow permission of the Legislature to build a bridge from Thorp's Island to the mainland in the town of Boothbay.

Resolve appropriating money to complete the replanking of the Wiscasset Bridge.

Resolve providing a State pension for Ellison Gilbert.

Resolve providing a State pension for L. Prescott Currier.

Resolve appropriating money to aid the town of Canton in purchasing and repairing its toll bridge.

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for maintenance thereof for the years of 1915 and 1916.

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for the purchase of a stone crusher.

Resolve providing a State pension for Bryant Libby.

Resolve providing a State pension for John S. Gaddis.

Resolve in aid of navigation on Lewys, Long and Big Lakes in Washington County.

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for finishing and equipping sleeping rooms for night nurses.

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for the erection of sun parlors on Wards C-1 and E-1.

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for the renovation of certain wards.

Resolve in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for the erection and equipment of a building to contain dining and industrial rooms.

Resolve providing for the completion of the book of plans for Knox County and appropriating money therefor.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted and Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Joint Special Committee on Salaries and Fees of the Seventy-Sixth Legislature.

Was reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed. On motion of Mr. HARADEN of Bath, tabled pending final passage, and Friday assigned for its consideration.

Resolve providing for co-operative work with the United States Geological Survey under the direction of the Public Utilities Commission.

Was reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, their report thereon accepted, Resolve finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. McCarty of Lewiston,

ORDERED, That the Committee on the Judiciary, to which

was referred Bill entitled "An Act to create a police commissioner and board of examiners for the city of Lewiston" be requested to return said Bill to the House for printing.

On motion of Mr. WELCH of Machiasport,

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Mopang Dam and Improvement Company" (Senate Document No. 90),

Which was tabled pending third reading, February 19, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table.

Mr. WELCH offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption, and it was accordingly adopted.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A," and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The majority and minority reports from the Committee on Legal Affairs, on "Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maine providing for the election on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, biennially, of Governors, Senators, Representatives, and other officers now required to be elected on the second Monday of September, biennially,"

Which were tabled pending acceptance, February 18, on motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer, and which came up this day by assignment,

Were taken from the table, and again tabled, with Wednesday assigned for their consideration.

On motion of Mr. WYMAN from Kingfield,

Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. to-morrow, Thursday,

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Mosher of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Petition of Merton A. Haley of Winterport, and nine others for passage of "Resolve in favor of Gorham P. Grant to refund money paid in lieu of military services in the late War of the Rebellion,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Claims.

Resolution from Machias Valley Grange, representing 200 members in favor of distribution of State school funds according to aggregate attendance,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 51 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to non-resident hunting licenses,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 244 of the Acts of 1909, relating to transmitting of electric power beyond the confines of the State;"

Remonstrance of T. N. Graves and 36 others against any change in the automobile law in the town of Mount Desert;

Remonstrances of the following against the same:

A. E. Clement and 26 others;

A. A. Murphy and 34 others;

E. T. Campbell and 50 others;

Fred C. Gray and five others;

George A. Savage and 32 others;

S. G. Leonard and 14 others;

Charles D. Burr and 31 others;

R. L. Grindle and 27 others;

Charles N. Small and 13 others;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act amendatory of Section 128 of Chapter 49 of the Revised Statutes, relating to assessment casualty insurance companies;"

Bill "An Act relating to deposits of assessment casualty insurance companies;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Resolution of Wayne Friday Club in favor of reformatory for women;

Petition of Mrs. D. R. Wood and others of Wayne in favor of same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Report of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Assistant Folder and Page of the Seventy-Sixth Legislature for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature (Senate Document No. 144);

The report was accepted in concurrence, accompanying Resolve read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Report of the Committee on Banks and Banking reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 26 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the deposit by Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings of collateral for loans made without the State" (Senate Document No. 142);

The report was accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bill read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Report of Committee on Education reporting the same on Resolve in favor of the Washington State Normal School at

Machias for the removing and remodelling of the O'Brien House (Senate Document No. 141) ;

Report of same Committee reporting the same on Resolve in favor of the Washington State Normal School at Machias for completing furnishings of the partially constructed dormitory (Senate Document No. 140) ;

Report of the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for general repairs and permanent improvements (Senate Document No. 145) ;

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Resolves read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Report of the Committee on Pensions reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 219 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the salary of the stenographer of the Superior Court for Kennebec County" (Senate Document No. 147) ;

Report of the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reporting the same on Bill "An Act for the better protection of shell fish within the town of Eliot, in the County of York" (Senate Document No. 155) ;

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bills read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Report of the Committee on Pensions reporting the same on Resolve providing a State pension for Michael B. Daly (Senate Document No. 132) ;

The report was accepted, in concurrence, the accompanying Resolve read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Report of the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1911, relative to the better protection of forests along railroads from fire" (Senate Document No. 134) ;

The report was accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bill read twice, and, on motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden, tabled pending third reading.

STATE OF MAINE.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

To the Honorable House of Representatives:

House Document No. 53 in favor of the Town of Moscow, introduced by Representative Dutton of Bingham, is returned herewith unsigned.

I have no objection to the amount of the Resolve or the purpose of expenditure, but the objection is on account of the uncertainty of the amount you will appropriate for "Ways and Bridges," as previously stated in my veto message regarding Resolve in favor of the Town of Dresden.

I have urgently requested to Representative Dutton the advisability of recalling these bills, and as he declined to do so, I have no alternative but to return the document unsigned.

OAKLEY C. CURTIS,

Governor.

Discussion ensued.

THE SPEAKER: The question before the House is on the Resolve appropriating money to aid in the construction of a road in the town of Moscow. This resolve was finally passed by this House on Feb. 19, finally passed by the Senate on Feb. 23, and it has been returned to this House this morning by the Governor without his approval. The question now before the House is, Shall this resolve be finally passed notwithstanding the objections of the Governor? Under the Constitution this vote must be taken by the yeas and nays. All those in favor of the final passage of this resolve, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor, when their names are called will answer yes; all those opposed will answer no. This requires a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to this House. The Clerk will call the roll.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Benn	Bragdon
Allen	Besse	Brann
Ames	Blake (Oakland)	Bussey
Averill	Bonney	Campbell
Beal	Bradbury	Carson

Chaplin	Harper	Peterson
Chamberlin	Hart	Ranney
Clement	Higgins	Ricker
Cobb	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Russell (Alfred)
Coffin	Jordan	Ryder
Daigle	Lawrence	St. Clair (Calais)
Danforth	Libby	St. Clair (Rockland)
Dilling	Littlefield	Sanborn
Drummond	Lombard	Snow
Dutton	Mansir	Tabbutt
Ellis	McKinley	Thombs
Erskine	McNally	Tobey
Evans	Meader	Towle
Fay	Mitchell	Tuttle
Ford	Morrison	Varney
Gould	Morse	Washburn
Grant	Nicholas	Waterhouse
Greaton	O'Connell	Wescott
Greenlaw	Perham	Wise—73
Hanson (Sanford)		

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Durgain	Lewis
Bernier	Edwards	Lord
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Fossett	Maxwell
Bourque	Gallagher	McCarty
Brawn	Gerrish	McCorrison
Brown (Auburn)	Gilmour	McCurdy
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Goldthwait	McIntire
Chadbourne	Gooding	Michaud
Clifford	Goodwin	Millett
Colcord	Greeley	Mulligan
Connellan	Greenleaf	Mullin
Connors	Haskell	Neilon
Corliss	Hill	Newell
Currier	Hobbs	Noyes
Davis	Hodgkins	Peabbles
Descoteaux	Holt (Skowhegan)	Perkins
Douglass	Jameson	Picher
Drapeau	Leader	Pierce (Farm'gton)

Pierce (Houlton)	Smith	Webb
Plummer	Tate	Welch
Pollard	Thibodeau	Wheeler
Roberts	Trafton	Wilkins
Robinson	Turner	Wilson
Russell (Lewiston)	Ward	Woodman
Small	Wasgatt	Wyman—75

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Hanson (Saco) Haraden Watts—3

Hence the veto of the Governor was sustained.

STATE OF MAINE.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

To the Honorable House of Representatives:

House Document No. 56, in favor of road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation, introduced by Representative Dutton of Bingham, is returned herewith unsigned.

I have no objection to the amount of the Resolve or the purpose of expenditure, but the objection is on account of the uncertainty of the amount you will appropriate for "Ways and Bridges," as previously stated in my veto message regarding Resolve in favor of the Town of Dresden.

I have urgently requested Representative Dutton the advisability of recalling these bills, and, as he declined to do so, I have no alternative but to return the document unsigned.

OAKLEY C. CURTIS,

Governor.

THE SPEAKER: The question before the House is, Shall this resolve be finally passed notwithstanding the objection of the Governor? Under the Constitution this vote must be taken by the yeas and nays. All those in favor of the final passage of this resolve, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor, when their names are called will answer yes; all those opposed will answer no. This requires a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to this House. The Clerk will call the roll.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Dutton	Morse
Allen	Ellis	Nicholas
Ames	Evans	O'Connell
Averill	Fay	Perham
Beal	Ford	Peterson
Benn	Gould	Ranney
Besse	Grant	Ricker
Blake (Oakland)	Greaton	Russell (Alfred)
Bonney	Greenlaw	Ryder
Bradbury	Hanson (Sanford)	St. Clair (Calais)
Bragdon	Harper	St. Clair (Rockland)
Brann	Hart	Sanborn
Russey	Higgins	Snow
Campbell	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Tabbutt
Carson	Jordan	Thombs
Chaplin	Lawrence	Tobey
Chamberlin	Libby	Towle
Clement	Littlefield	Tuttle
Cobb	Mansir	Varney
Coffin	McKinley	Washburn
Daigle	McNally	Waterhouse
Danforth	Meador	Wescott
Dilling	Mitchell	Wise—71
Drummond	Morrison	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Currier	Goodwin
Bernier	Davis	Greeley
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Descoteaux	Greenleaf
Bourque	Douglass	Haskell
Brawn	Drapeau	Hill
Brown (Auburn)	Durgain	Hobbs
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Edwards	Hodgkins
Chadbourne	Fossett	Holt (Skowhegan)
Clifford	Gallagher	Jameson
Colcord	Gerrish	Leader
Connellan	Gilmour	Lewis
Connors	Goldthwait	Lord
Corliss	Gooding	Maxwell

McCarty	Perkins	Thibodeau
McCorrison	Picher	Trafton
McCurdy	Pierce (Farm'gton)	Turner
McIntire	Pierce (Houlton)	Ward
Michaud	Plummer	Wasgatt
Millett	Pollard	Webb
Mulligan	Roberts	Welch
Mullin	Robinson	Wheeler
Neilon	Russell (Lewiston)	Wilkins
Newell	Small	Wilson
Noyes	Smith	Woodman
Peabbles	Tate	Wyman—75

Those who were absents were: Messrs.

Erschine	Haraden	Watts—5
Hanson (Saco)	Lombard	..

Hence the veto of the Governor was sustained.

STATE OF MAINE.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

To the Honorable House of Representatives:

House Document No. 55, in favor of appropriation for highway to aid Caratunk Plantation, introduced by Representative Dutton of Bingham, is returned herewith unsigned.

I have no objection to the amount of the Resolve or the purpose of expenditure, but the objection is on account of the uncertainty of the amount you will appropriate for "Ways and Bridges," as previously stated in my veto message regarding Resolve in favor of the Town of Dresden.

I have urgently requested to Representative Dutton the advisability of recalling these bills, and, as he declined to do so, I have no alternative but to return the document unsigned.

OAKLEY C. CURTIS,

Governor.

THE SPEAKER: The question before the House is, Shall this resolve be finally passed notwithstanding the objections of the Governor? This requires under the Constitution a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to this House, and the

vote will be taken by the yeas and nays. All those in favor of passing this Resolve, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor, when their names are called will answer yes; all those opposed will answer no. The Clerk will call the roll.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Dutton	Morrison
Allen	Ellis	Morse
Ames	Evans	Nicholas
Averill	Fay	O'Connell
Beal	Ford	Perham
Benn	Could	Peterson
Besse	Grant	Ranney
Blake (Oakland)	Greaton	Ricker
Bonney	Greenlaw	Russell (Alfred)
Bradbury	Hanson (Sanford)	Ryder
Bragdon	Harper	St. Clair (Calais)
Brann	Hart	St. Clair (Rockland)
Bussey	Higgins	Sanborn
Campbell	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Snow
Carson	Jordan	Thombs
Chaplin	Lawrence	Tobey
Chamberlin	Libby	Towle
Clement	Littlefield	Tuttle
Cobb	Lombard	Varney
Coffin	Mansir	Washburn
Daigle	McKinley	Waterhouse
Danforth	McNally	Wescott
Dilling	Meador	Wise—71.
Drummond	Mitchell	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Colcord	Durgain
Bernier	Connellan	Edwards
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Conners	Fossett
Bourque	Corliss	Gallagher
Brawn	Currier	Gerrish
Brown (Auburn)	Davis	Gilmour
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Descoteaux	Goldthwait
Chadbourne	Douglass	Gooding
Clifford	Drapeau	Goodwin

Greeley	Millett	Smith
Greenleaf	Mulligan	Tabbutt
Haskell	Mullin	Tate
Hill	Neilon	Thibodeau
Hobbs	Newell	Trafton
Hodgkins	Noyes	Turner
Holt (Skowhegan)	Peabbles	Ward
Jameson	Perkins	Wasgatt
Leader	Picher	Webb
Lewis	Pierce (Farmington)	Welch
Lord	Pierce (Houlton)	Wheeler
Maxwell	Plummer	Wilkins
McCarty	Pollard	Wilson
McCorrison	Roberts	Woodman
McCurdy	Robinson	Wyman—76
McIntire	Russell (Lewiston)	
Michaud	Small	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Erskine	Haraden
Hanson (Saco)	Watts—4

Hence the veto of the Governor was sustained.

Mr. BURLEIGH from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of the highway in the Plantations of Dallas and Lang, in Franklin County.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the manufacture, transportation and sale of dairy products and their imitations,"

Was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolution of John F. Hill Grange, representing 136 members, favoring An Act to provide for the distribution of State school funds,

Was referred to the Committee on Education.

Remonstrance of the Men's Bible Class of the First Baptist Church of Cherryfield against the proposed amendment to the Sunday Observance Law,

Was accepted and placed on file.

Remonstrance against House Bill No. 144, in regard to registration of physicians and surgeons, signed by Charles R. Perkins and 25 others;

Remonstrances of the following against the same:

A. W. Clark and 16 others;

W. L. Gordon and 27 others;

John Dyer and 24 others;

C. H. Brown and 25 others;

Resolution from Seaside Grange, representing 98 members, relating to telegraphs, telephones and other public utilities;

Resolutions of the following regarding the same;

Capital Grange, representing 200 members;

Limerock Valley Pomona Grange, representing 400 members;

Sagadahoc Grange, representing 151 members;

Merrymeeting Grange, representing 189;

Lakeside Grange, representing 120 members;

Verona Grange, representing 161 members;

New Century Grange, representing 111 members;

Frederick Robie Grange, representing 82 members;

Pleasant Valley Grange, representing 68 members;

Massapaqua Grange, representing 120 members;

Wilson Valley Grange, representing 53 members;

Norland Grange, representing 240 members;

Topsham Grange, representing 220 members;

North Scarboro Grange, representing 161 members;

- Alamoosook Grange, representing 70 members;
 - Castine Grange, representing 147 members;
 - Victor Grange of Fairfield, representing 220 members;
 - East Sangerville Grange, representing 100 members;
 - Highland Grange, representing 89 members;
 - Matanawcook Grange, representing 140 members;
 - Olamon Grange, representing 65 members;
 - Penobscot Grange, representing 108 members;
 - Clinton Grange, representing 285 members;
 - Houlton Grange, representing 1058 members;
 - Cumberland County Pomona Grange, representing 2022 members;
 - New Sharon Grange, representing 91 members;
 - John F. Hill Grange of Eliot, representing 136 members;
 - Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.
 - Petition of Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Ripley for passage of an Act to establish a reformatory for women;
 - Petition of Woman's Christian Temperance Union of St. Albans for same;
 - Were referred to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.
 - These papers were sent to the Senate.
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Mr. HIGGINS from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Arthur C. Smith, Secretary of the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, for expenses of that Committee on a visit to the Boys' School.

Mr. RUSSELL from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Peter Harmon of Thorndike.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Levite V. Thibodeau, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. LORD from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of James J. Clement of Montville.

Mr. MORSE from the Committee on Banks and Banking, on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 119 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to Banks, Trust Companies and Loan and Building Associations," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to amend Chapter 119 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to Banks, Institutions for Savings, Trust Companies and Loan and Building Associations," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. WESCOTT from the Committee on Labor, on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 4, 7 and 8, and adding Section 12 to Chapter 65 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the Department of Labor and Industry," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. DESCOTEAUX from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 87 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to employment agencies," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. GREENLEAF from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 55 of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes, relating to exceptions and motions for new trials."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 71 of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the jurisdiction of the Superior Court for Cumberland County in divorce cases."

Mr. THOMBS from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the rights, powers and privileges of the Barrows Falls Light and Power Company."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 201 of the Private and Special Laws of the State of Maine for the year 1911, relating to the Guil-

ford Water District," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HANSON from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 522 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, establishing the Sanford Municipal Court, as amended by Chapter 340 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to legalize and confirm the incorporation and doings of the Congregational Church Society of Stonington and to change the name of said Corporation."

Mr. HILL from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln Light and Power Company."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln Sewerage Company."

Mr. THIBODEAU from the Committee on Library, on Resolve in favor of a History of Pemaquid, of Bristol, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act in favor of an appropriation to restore the early records in the office of the Clerk of Courts for York County," reported the same, with amendment, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. DUTTON from the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act providing for punishment of offences against habitations and other buildings."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to appointment of inspector of buildings."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act requiring reports from property owners in case of fire and fixing liability of owners under certain conditions," reported the same in a new daft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act relating to qualifications of insurance agents," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act prohibiting the rebating of premiums of fire insurance," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act providing licenses for adjusters of fire losses," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to extend the time in which the Maine Title Insurance Company is authorized to commence business," reported "ought to pass."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, reported same on Bill "An Act relating to cancellation of insurance agent's license for over-insurance."

Mr. GREENLEAF from the Committee on Revision of the Statutes reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 91 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to guide posts at crossings of ways.

Mr. CLIFFORD from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 81 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to sealing milk bottles and jars."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 31 of the Revised Statutes by including shooting galleries in the provisions thereof."

Mr. GREENLEAF from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 64 of the Revised Statutes, relating to masters, apprentices and servants."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 67 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the distribution of personal estate."

Mr. CONNERS from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the determination of highway boundaries which are doubtful, uncertain or lost."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 40 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to notices of appointment by executors and administrators."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to repeal certain obsolete sections of Chapter 26 of the Revised Statutes, relating to fences of common fields."

Mr. GREENLEAF from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 43 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the appointment of an agent or attorney by non-resident executors or administrators."

Mr. WILSON from the Committee on Salaries and Fees reported the same on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Governor."

Mr. FORD from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to regulate the employment of subordinates by Legislative Committees."

Mr. SANBORN from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of Eastport," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to fix the salaries of the Judge and Recorder of the Eastport Municipal Court," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. GOLDTHWAIT from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries, on petition of Albert M. Graves and 41 others of Topsham, Elmer G. Powers and 40 others of Topsham and Albert F. Adams and 19 others of Bowdoinham, reported Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 251 of the Special Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 28 of the Special Laws of 1909, entitled 'An Act for the better protection of alewives, shad and sturgeon in the various rivers of Maine.'"

Mr. HODGKINS from same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act for the better protection of clams within the limits of the town of Harpswell, in the County of Cumberland."

Mr. GOODING from the Committee on Taxation, on Bill "An Act to exempt neat stock under three years of age from taxation," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to exempt neat stock thirty months old and under, and all sheep and swine, from taxation," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. BESSE from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve in favor of citizens of Concord and vicinity to aid in repairing road, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing highway in town of Concord, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of repairing the main highway leading from the town of Franklin in Hancock County, to the town of Cherryfield in Washington County, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, Bills read twice and to-morrow assigned for third reading, resolves read once and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Mr. HANSON from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time of closing the polls at primary elections," the subject matter being embodied in another bill already before the Legislature.

Mr. THOMBS from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 215 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887, and amendatory of Chapter 281 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, relating to Eastern Maine Institute," asked leave to recommend that the same be referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. WELCH from the Committee on Salaries and Fees reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to the compensation of Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court."

Mr. LAWRENCE from the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation reported the same on Resolve authorizing the land agent to convey certain lands in Township No. 5, Range 4 (Lynchtown), in the County of Oxford.

Mr. GOODING from the Committee on Taxation, on Bill "An Act to exempt live-stock from taxation," reported the same ought not to pass, the subject matter of this Bill being included in another Bill.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Mr. BRAUN from the same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act increasing the amount of exemption from taxation on musical instruments."

The report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the report was accepted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the report was tabled.

Mr. BRAUN from the same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 163 of the Public Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 20 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to taxation of soldiers and sailors."

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section nine of Chapter 69 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of guardians of persons over 21 years of age" (House Document No. 322);

Bill "An Act to fix the standard weight of certain commodities not included in Section 39 of Chapter 39 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 124 of the Public Laws of 1913, and to correct the standard weight of a bushel of dried apples and to change the standard weight of a barrel of potatoes" (House Document No. 323);

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 2 of Section 13 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes so that the same may conform to Paragraph 1 of said Section as amended" (House Document No. 324);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 54 of Chapter 2 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the bond of the Treasurer of State" (House Document No. 325);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 47 of Chapter 2 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the notification of appointment and qualification of Justices of the Peace, Trial Justices and Notaries Public" (House Document No. 326);

Were read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 211 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, as amended by Chapter 101, of the Laws of 1909, relating to salaries of Judge and Recorder of Bangor Municipal Court" (House Document No. 307),

Was read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Mr. HILL of Corinth then moved to reconsider the vote by which the third reading of the Bill was assigned for to-morrow, and the vote was so reconsidered.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The Bill was recommitted to the Committee on Salaries and Fees, Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln having called for a division of the House on the question of recommitment, and the House so voted to recommit by a vote of 65 in the affirmative to 63 in the negative.

Bill "An Act to provide for a closed season on bull moose" (House Document No. 302),

Was read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

On motion of Mr. WASHBURN of Perry,

Was reconsidered the vote by which this Bill was read the second time and assigned for to-morrow, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled pending second reading and assigned for Thursday next.

Memorial to Congress relative to retirement and pensions of Civil Service Employees (House Document No. 301);

Was read once, and, on motion of Mr. RYDER of Brownville, tabled pending second reading for filing of statement of facts.

Resolve in favor of aid in building a bridge in the town of Crystal (House Document No. 318),

Was read once, and, on motion of Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls, tabled pending second reading.

Resolve appropriating money for the Board of Dental Examiners to purchase equipment and also to prosecute violators of the provisions of Chapter 53 of the Public Laws of 1913 (House Document No. 298);

Was read once, and, on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, tabled pending second reading for filing of statement of facts.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 3 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 138 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the printing of the reports of the State Departments" (House Document No. 327);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 53 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the duties of executors and administrators" (House Document No. 329);

Were read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Resolve in favor of the Secretary of the Committee on Indian Affairs, to defray expenses of said Committee in visiting the Reservations at Pleasant Point and Oldtown (House Document No. 300);

Resolve in favor of Sarah A. Robinson of Mt. Vernon (House Document No. 303);

Resolve in favor of Annie L. Durham of Belfast (House Document No. 304);

Resolve providing a State pension for Hannah M. Condon (House Document No. 305);

Resolve in favor of Elias Lyon (House Document No. 306);

Resolve to provide for improvement of highway in the towns of Greenwood and Woodstock (House Document No. 309);

Resolve for aid in building a highway bridge across Carra-bassett River in the town of Kingfield (House Document No. 317);

Resolve in favor of building a road around Cook Hill in the town of Jackson (House Document No. 319);

Resolve in favor of the Aroostook River Bridge in the town of Ashland (House Document No. 320);

Resolve in favor of repairing a highway in the town of Solon (House Document No. 321);

Were read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the borrowing of money and pledging of securities as collateral therefor by Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings" (Senate Document No. 120);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 21 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 69 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to deposits in Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings in the names of married women and minors" (Senate Document No. 121);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of suckers, eels, hornpouts and yellow perch with eel pots, traps, spears or nets" (House Document No. 270);

Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for furnishings for the new dormitory (Senate Document No. 122);

Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for the completion of the partially constructed dormitory (Senate Document No. 123);

Resolve in favor of the Aroostook State Normal School at Presque Isle for repairs (Senate Document No. 126);

Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for the construction and equipment of a suitable building for the Household Arts Department (Senate Document No. 127);

Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for completing the furnishings of the new dormitory (Senate Document No. 128);

Resolve in favor of Frank Francis, Representative of the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians (House Document No. 295);

Resolve in favor of Edgar S. Fossett, Secretary of the Committee on State Prison (House Document No. 296);

Resolve in favor of the Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Messenger, Assistant Messenger, Mail Carrier, First Folder, Assistant Folder, Doorkeeper, and Pages of the Seventy-Sixth Legislature for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature (House Document No. 297);

Resolve in favor of Leonard A. Pierce, Chairman of the House Committee on Elections (House Document No. 299);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

An Act Authorizing the Town of Richmond to Change Its Burying Ground;

An Act to amend Section Three of Chapter Three Hundred Fifty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of the State of

Maine for the Year Eighteen Hundred Ninety-seven, Relating to the Support of Certain Paupers and Minors in the Towns of Stonington and Deer Isle;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Otter Pond, in the Town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland;

Resolve Providing an Increase of State Pension for Sibae S. Andrews;

Resolve in favor of the People's Ferry Company for Maintenance;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted and Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Reconstruction of Lord Bridge over Marsh Stream in the Town of Frankfort;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Town of Otisfield and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in the Construction of a Bridge across the Easterly Part of the West Channel of Sebec River, in the Town of Milo;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in the Reconstruction of a Bridge in the Town of Montville;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The foregoing Resolves were tabled pending final passage, and Thursday assigned for their consideration.

Mr. COLCORD of Portland offered an Order.

The Speaker ruled that the Order was out of order, and could be accepted only by unanimous consent.

Mr. HIGGINS from Brewer objected to granting unanimous consent for this purpose.

Mr. LAWRENCE of Fairfield asked for and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a petition out of order, and introduced the following:

Petition of Helen M. Merrill and 28 others, relative to the Central Maine Sanatorium for the relief and control of tuberculosis, at Fairfield, Maine.

The petition was referred to the Committee on Public Health and sent to the Senate.

Report "A" and Report "B" from the Committee on Legal Affairs on "An Act to repeal Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of the year 1913, entitled 'An Act to provide for nomination of candidates of political parties by primary elections,' and amendments thereto" (Senate Document No. 34),

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The reports were taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, again tabled, and their consideration assigned for Thursday, March 4.

Resolve in favor of the town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland, relating to the conveyance of a certain lot or parcel of land (House Document No. 222);

Which was tabled February 24 pending second reading, on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Came up by assignment. On motion of same gentleman, again tabled pending second reading, for receipt of statement of facts.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

The Speaker was asked to instruct the Clerk to have the printing of House Document No. 328, "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors," done over again,

in order to correct some mistakes of the printer which made a part of one of the pages of the Bill almost unintelligible.

The Speaker instructed the Clerk accordingly.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. to-morrow, Friday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingston of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to define county lines in the waters of the State;"

Petition of Merton Perkins and 11 others, relative to the opening of a road to automobiles in the town of Mount Desert;

Petition of F. C. Holden and 18 others relative to the same;
Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act relating to the clerk hire of the Clerk of Courts for York County,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Bill "An Act to raise additional revenue by taxation,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Taxation.

Petition of Alonzo Smith and 57 others of Skowhegan for the repeal of the law establishing a Highway Commission,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Report of the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act in relation to the improvement of highways with a road-machine or similar device, after the tenth day of August in any year," (Senate Document No. 164);

Report of the Committee on Education reporting the same on Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for the purchase and installation of equipment for the industrial department (Senate Document No. 124);

Report of the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting the same on Resolve appropriating money to repair Mopang Bridge in Township No. 30, M. D., in Washington County (Senate Document No. 161);

Report of the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve appropriating money to repair the bridges across Northeast Brook and Canoe Brook in Township No. 29 M. D., in Washington County (Senate Document No. 162);

Report of the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve appropriating money to partially reimburse the town of Deblois for money expended in building a bridge (Senate Document No. 163);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice, and Resolves read once, and to-morrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Report of the Committee on Agriculture reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 54 of Chapter 125 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to cruelty of animals."

The report was accepted in concurrence, and returned to the Senate.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 119 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the compensation of county attorneys."

This report came from the Senate recommitted to Committee on Salaries and Fees, and by the House was so recommitted in concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Taxation reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to exempt neat cattle, sheep and swine from taxation," the subject matter of this Bill being included in another Bill.

The report was accepted in concurrence and returned to the Senate.

Resolutions of Victor Grange, representing 228 members, favoring an Act to provide for the distribution of State school funds;

Resolutions of the following for the same:

Gardiner Grange, representing 151 members;

Aroostook Union Grange, representing 216 members;

Roque Bluffs Grange, representing 50 members;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Remonstrance of C. W. Lombard and 26 others of Meddybemps against the passage of Resident Hunter's License Act;

Remonstrances of the following against the same:

Walter Morrison and 30 others of Charlotte;

Albert L. Abbot and 24 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to enlarge the duties of medical examiners;"

Petition of Maria H. Peaks and 44 other residents of the State of Maine, against the enactment of House Bill No. 144;

Petitions of the following against the same:

C. A. Gerry and 25 other residents of Corinth;

John L. Fish and 25 other residents of Maine:

Frank Thompson and 20 other residents of Skowhegan;
Adelle M. Porter and 15 other residents of Maine;
N. C. Stowe and 50 other residents of Dover and Foxcroft;
F. E. Butterfield and 46 others, residents of Dover and Foxcroft;

Wainwright Cushing and 47 other residents of Dexter;

F. L. Byther and 53 other residents of Maine;

R. H. Springer and 32 other residents of Maine;

E. F. Clapham and 54 other residents of Maine;

Freeman W. Smith and 30 other residents of Bucksport;

F. H. Coy and 22 other residents of Maine;

Harriet N. Crafts and 20 others, residents of the towns of Monson and Etna;

C. A. Lunder and 17 others, residents of Madison;

Mrs. Abbie E. McGregor and 15 others, residents of Maine;

Dr. C. R. Simmons and five others, residents of Maine;

L. J. Littlefield and 34 other residents of Maine;

Alfred Webb and 50 other residents of Maine;

Resolutions from Lake View Grange, representing 84 membership, relating to telegraphs, telephones and other public utilities;

Resolutions of China Grange, representing a membership of 145, favoring An Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones;

Resolutions from the following favoring the same:

Cascade Grange, representing 320 membership;

Litchfield Grange, representing a membership of 51;

Cushnoc Grange, representing a membership of 153;

Sidney Grange, representing a membership of 236;
Chelsea Grange, representing a membership of 119;
Wayne Grange, representing a membership of 90;
Highland Grange, representing a membership of 50;
Starling Grange, representing 116 members;
Winthrop Grange, representing a membership of 210;
Mountain View Grange, representing a membership of 31;
Canton Grange, representing a membership of 229;
Minerva Grange, representing a membership of 246;
Harvest Home Grange, representing a membership of 66;
Gardiner Grange, representing a membership of 151;
Manchester Grange, representing a membership of 120;
West Paris Grange, representing 159 membership.
Alder River Grange, representing 62 members;
Mt. Cutler Grange, representing 91 members;
Tranquility Grange, representing 117 members;
Waterford Grange, representing 46 members;
Norway Grange, representing 295 members;
Aroostook Union Grange, representing 216 members;
Resolutions of Victor Grange, representing a membership
of 220, favoring equal suffrage for women;
Resolutions of the following for same;
Wayne Grange, representing 90 members;
New Sharon Grange, representing 91 members;
Gardiner Grange, representing 151 members;
Aroostook Union Grange, representing 216 members;
Manchester Grange, representing 120 members;

Litchfield Grange, representing 51 members;

John F. Hill Grange, representing 136 members;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to create a commission to act in conjunction with the State Armory Commission,"

Was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Petition of I. E. Gray and 57 others of Castine against any change in the present scallop laws;

Remonstrance of C. L. Smith and 30 others of Swans Island against any change in the present lobster law affecting the waters of the towns of Mount Desert, Cranberry Isles, Southwest Harbor, Tremont, Swans Island and the adjacent waters thereto;

Remonstrances of the following against same:

W. J. Newman and 18 others of Sewall;

Edmund J. Leonard and 16 others of Sewall;

Henry Clark of Southwest Harbor and 71 others;

Lyman H. Somes of Mount Desert and 61 others;

Charles E. Richardson of Cranberry Isles and 49 others;

Elmer C. Davis of Northeast Harbor and 58 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Petition of Remi A. Daigle and nine others of Madawaska that the law exempting mortgages from taxation be amended so as to make the same taxable,

Was referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Petition of Henry C. Rowe and 84 others in favor of an appropriation for a road in Township 6, Range 7, and 6, Range 8,

Was referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. COLCORD of Portland,

ORDERED, That no Bill or Resolve carrying an appropriation of money, shall be finally passed prior to the sixteenth day of March, next.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The order was tabled pending passage, and assigned for Tuesday.

Mr. WATERHOUSE of Kennebunk, asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a Report out of order, and introduced the divided Report of the Committee on Judiciary on "An Act to incorporate Kennebunk Water District."

Mr. WATERHOUSE moved that the Reports be tabled pending acceptance, and assigned for Friday.

Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland, moved an amendment to this motion, making the date of assignment Wednesday, March 10, and this amendment was accepted by Mr. WATERHOUSE. The House then tabled the Reports, assigning them for Wednesday March 10, in accordance with the amended motion of Mr. WATERHOUSE.

Mr. NICHOLAS from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of W. A. Ricker, Secretary of the Committee on Education;

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Education reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 34 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 173 of the Public Laws of 1911, and Chapter 78 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the employment of superintendents of schools."

Mr. RICKER from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of the town of Newfield for the payment of additional State school funds for the year 1912.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to further amend Section 62 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 48 of the

Public Laws of 1905, and by Chapter 88 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to high schools."

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Passadumkeag River, sometimes called Passadumkeag Stream, in Penobscot County," reported the same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Passadumkeag River, sometimes called Passadumkeag Stream, in the County of Penobscot and in the County of Hancock," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act relating to the protection of foxes," reported same in a new draft, under the title of "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of foxes," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Big Indian Pond, in St. Albans," with petition of W. H. Watson and 13 others, residents of St. Albans and vicinity, for same, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the inland fish and game laws, and more especially to fishing in Brewer Lake," with petitions of C. J. Doble, E. F. Spencer, Harry K. Thayer and Robert B. Robinson, and others for same, reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing through the ice in Brewer Pond, in the County of Penobscot, and in the County of Hancock," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of L. R. Fellows of Fayette, and 35 others, asking that Tilton, Davis and Basin Ponds, in Kennebec County, be closed to all ice fishing, reported a Bill which is herewith submitted, entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Tilton, Davis and Basin Ponds, in the town of Fayette, in the County of Kennebec," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Forest Lake, in Cumberland County," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. CONNELLAN from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 290 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Rumford and Mexico Water District,'"

Mr. WESCOTT from the Committee on Labor reported the same on Bill "An Act to establish a minimum wage for State House employees,"

Mr. MICHAUD from the Committee on Public Health reported the same on Bill "An Act to regulate the construction of mausoleums or tombs to be used for permanent burial,"

Mr. St. CLAIR from the Committee on Revision of Statutes reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the office of County Treasurer,"

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 25 and 30 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the taxation of the property of corporations,"

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 9 of Section 13 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the taxation of personal property held by religious societies."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes for the benefit of county law libraries."

Mr. HOLT from the Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act to create the office of Commissioner of Inland Fish and Game and to abolish the office of Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. DRAPEAU from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 69 of Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the remuneration of deputy sheriffs."

Mr. WELCH from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend the Revised Statutes defining compensation of members of the Legislature and of the Governor's Council," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. FORD from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of certain public officers," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. SMITH from the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the State School for Boys.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. RYDER from the Committee on Federal Relations reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to create a peace centenary celebration commission."

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported the same on Resolve in favor of a feeding station for trout and land-locked salmon at Lake Kezar, in Oxford County.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petitions of Charles I. Wiley and 67 others of Camden in favor of a Bill prohibiting trapping or digging out foxes, also petitions of A.

W. McCarrison and 46 others of Appleton, and J. H. Hobbs and 67 others of Camden for same, report that the petitioners have leave to withdraw, as the subject matter of said petitions has been incorporated in a Bill already reported by this Committee.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to prohibit fishing in the tributaries to Lobster Lake and its outlet, in Piscataquis County," with petition of Paul J. Bachelder and 12 others for same.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to regulate fishing in Whetstone Pond, so called, situated in the town of Kingsbury and in the town of Blanchard, in the County of Piscataquis," with petition of C. A. Skillings and 17 others for same, and remonstrances of C. R. Scales and G. B. Fogg and others against same.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of Fred C. Dunlap and 12 others, residents of Pittsfield and vicinity, asking that the tributaries to Sibley Pond, in Canaan and Pittsfield, Somerset County, be closed to all fishing except for suckers, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

Mr. FOSSETT from the Committee on Temperance reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Maine, relating to nuisances."

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 8, 46 and 54 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the compensation of committees in highway proceedings" (House Document No. 330);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 23 and 24 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to filling vacancies in nominations made at a primary election" (House Document No. 331);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 19 and 20 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the bond and records of the Registers of Probate" (House Document No. 342);

Bill "An Act to increase the salary of the Recorder of the Houlton Municipal Court" (House Document No. 332);

Bill "An Act to authorize the Kennebec Lumber Company to maintain piers and booms in the Kennebec River above the Augusta Dam" (House Document No. 333);

Bill "An Act to amend 'An Act to incorporate the Sawtelle Brook Dam and Improvement Company,' being Chapter 60 of the Private and Special Laws for the year 1911" (House Document No. 336);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 285 of the Private and Special Laws of the year 1911, relative to the water rights of the Dover and Foxcroft Water District" (House Document No. 335);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 74 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to livestock" (House Document No. 340);

Bill "An Act to provide for the semi-monthly payment for cream and milk" (House Document No. 339);

Were read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Resolve in aid of navigation on Moosehead Lake (House Document No. 334);

Resolve in the interest of the seed and crop improvement in Maine (House Document No. 337);

Resolve assenting to the provisions of "An Act of the Congress of the United States, approved May 8, 1914, entitled 'An Act to provide for co-operative agricultural extension work between the Agricultural Colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of the Act of Congress approved July 2, 1862, and of Acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture'" (House Document No. 338);

Resolve making an appropriation for co-operative agricultural work between the College of Agriculture of the University of Maine and the United States Department of Agriculture (House Document No. 341);

Resolve for further improvement in the methods of marketing the farm products and purchasing supplies for the farm (House Document No. 343);

Were read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 26 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the deposit by Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings of collateral for loans made without the State" (Senate Document No. 142);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 219 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the salary of the stenographer of the Superior Court for Kennebec County" (Senate Document No. 147);

Bill "An Act for the better protection of shell fish within the town of Eliot, in the County of York" (Senate Document No. 155);

Resolve providing a State pension for Michael B. Daly (Senate Document No. 132);

Resolve in favor of the Washington State Normal School at Machias for completing and furnishing the partially constructed dormitory (Senate Document No. 140);

Resolve in favor of the Washington State Normal School at Machias for the removing and remodelling of the O'Brien House (Senate Document No. 141);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Assistant Folder and Page of the Seventy-Sixth Legislature for attendance at the organization of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature (Senate Document No. 144),

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer, after this Resolve had been reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and their report thereon accepted,

Was tabled pending passage to be engrossed, for receipt of statement of facts.

Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for general repairs and permanent improvements (Senate Document No. 145) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 69 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of guardians of persons over 21 years of age" (House Document No. 322) ;

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bill read third time and Resolve read second time, both passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to fix the standard weight of certain commodities not included in Section 39 of Chapter 39 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 124 of the Public Laws of 1913, and to correct the standard weight of a bushel of dried apples and to change the standard weight of a barrel of potatoes" (House Document No. 323),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was then tabled, pending passage to be engrossed, and assigned for Tuesday.

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 2 of Section 13 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes so that the same may conform to Paragraph 1 of said Section as amended" (House Document No. 324) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 54 of Chapter 2 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the bond of Treasurer of State" (House Document No. 325) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 47 of Chapter 2 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the notification of appointment and

qualification of Justices of the Peace, Trial Justices and Notaries Public" (House Document No. 326);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 3 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 138 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the printing of the reports of the State Departments" (House Document No. 327);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 53 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the duties of executors and administrators" (House Document No. 329);

Resolve in favor of the Secretary of the Committee on Indian Affairs, to defray expenses of said Committee in visiting the Reservations at Pleasant Point and Oldtown (House Document No. 300);

Resolve providing a State pension for Sarah A. Robinson of Mt. Vernon (House Document No. 303);

Resolve providing a State pension for Annie L. Durham of Belfast (House Document No. 304);

Resolve providing a State pension for Hannah M. Condon (House Document No. 305);

Resolve providing a State pension for Elias Lyon of Augusta (House Document No. 306);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports therein accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the improvement of an highway in the towns of Greenwood and Woodstock, and providing for future maintenance thereof (House Document No. 309),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and its report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Resolve was then tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Thursday.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a bridge across Carrabassett River in the town of Kingfield (House Document No. 317);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

The Resolve was then tabled pending second reading and assigned for Thursday.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a road around Cook Hill in the town of Jackson, and providing for future maintenance thereof (House Document No. 319),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was then tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Thursday.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing the Aroostook River Bridge in the town of Ashland (House Document No. 320),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was then tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Thursday.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing a highway in the town of Solon (House Document No. 321),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

The Resolve was then tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Thursday.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was reconsidered the vote by which was assigned for tomorrow the third reading of

Bill "An Act to amend 'An Act to incorporate the Sawtelle Brook Dam and Improvement Company' being Chapter 60 of the Private and Special Laws for the year 1911" (House Document No. 336),

And, on further motion of same gentleman,
The Bill was then tabled.

On motion of Mr. Fay of Dexter,
Bill "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors" (House Document No. 328),

Which was tabled pending acceptance of report of Committee, February 24, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, was again tabled, and assigned for Wednesday.

Resolve authorizing the land agent to sell and convey certain lands in the public lots in Plantation Number Thirty-three, in Hancock County (House Document No. 220),

Which was tabled pending second reading, February 24, on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER, the Resolve was again tabled, and assigned for Wednesday.

Resolve in favor of the Joint Special Committee on Salaries and Fees of the Seventy-sixth Legislature,

Which was tabled pending final passage, February 24, on motion of Mr. HARADEN of Bath, came up by assignment.

On motion of same gentleman,

The Resolve was finally passed. It was then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan,

Resolve in aid of navigation on Moosehead Lake,

Which was tabled pending acceptance of report of Committee, February 24, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the report of Committee on same was accepted. The report was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Bill "An Act establishing a uniform tax on intangible personal property" (House Document No. 310),

Which was tabled pending reference in concurrence, February 23, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, referred to the Committee on Taxation in concurrence.

Mr. GOLDTHWAIT of Biddeford asked and received unanimous consent to introduce out of order the following order:

ORDERED, That the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries be granted the use of the Hall of Representatives for a public hearing on the afternoon of February 26.

On motion of the same gentleman, the order received a passage.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Resolve authorizing the land agent to sell and convey a certain lot or parcel of land, situated in the public lot of Dennistown Plantation, in Somerset County (House Document No. 119),

Which was tabled pending second reading, February 16, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table.

Same gentleman then offered House Amendment "A," and moved its acceptance. The Amendment was accordingly accepted.

Mr. PLUMMER then moved that the Resolve and Amendment be tabled for printing, and they were so tabled.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of Sanford" (House Document No. 308),

Which was tabled pending second reading, February 25, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, was read the second time, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

On motion of Mr. DOUGLASS of Webster,
Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. to-morrow, Saturday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Haynes of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

ORDERED, The House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn it be to meet Tuesday forenoon, March 2d, at ten o'clock.

Came from the Senate read and passed and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 18 of the Revised Statutes, relating to State Board of Health;"

Bill "An Act amendatory of and additional to Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act to create a Public Utilities Commission and prescribing the duties and powers thereof, and to amend certain provisions of the Revised Statutes, and of the Public Laws of the State of Maine, relating to public utilities;"

Bill "An Act to establish the State of Maine Immigration and Publicity Commission;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Petition of John K. Hooper and 17 others, citizens of Camden, in favor of a Knox Memorial,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 25 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to supplies furnished to any person or family while placed in quarantine by the Board of Health,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Public Health.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve providing for the payment of State pensions (Senate Document No. 159).

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Fees reporting same on Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of the Judges of Probate" (Senate Document No. 151).

Report of same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of county attorneys" (Senate Document No. 152).

Report of same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of county treasurers" (Senate Document No. 154).

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice and Resolve read once, and to-morrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolve.

Report of same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of county commissioners" (Senate Document No. 146).

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The report was tabled, and Tuesday assigned for its consideration.

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act for the protection of wild animals and birds on the southerly point of Swan Island, in the town of Perkins." reporting that the same be placed on file, as the subject is covered by another Bill reported by this Committee.

Report of the Committee on Taxation reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to regulate the amount and the abatement of poll taxes."

Report of the Committee on Temperance reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 36, 37 and 40 of Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, and particularly the manufacture and sale of cider."

The reports were accepted in concurrence and returned to the Senate.

Remonstrance of W. H. Cunliffe Sons and 21 others, residents of Fort Kent, Maine, against the enactment of Senate Bill No. 106;

Remonstrance of Elmer E. Milliken and 31 others, residents of Bridgewater, Maine, against same;

Were referred to the Aroostook County Delegation.

Resolutions of Littleton Grange, representing 235 members, in favor of distribution of State school funds, according to aggregate attendance;

Resolutions of Milbridge Grange, representing 131 members, for same;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Resolutions of Merrymeeting Grange, representing a membership of 189, favoring equal suffrage for women;

Also resolutions for the same purpose from the following Granges, with respective membership as indicated:

Lake View Grange, 84; Littleton Grange, 235; Milbridge Grange, 131; Limerock Valley Pomona Grange, 400; West

Paris Grange, 159; Lakeside Grange, 120; Frederick Robie Grange, 82; Castine Grange, 147; Wilson Valley Grange, 53; New Century Grange, 111; Mattanawcook Grange, 140; Hebron Grange, 80; Winthrop Grange, 210; Mountain View Grange, 31;

Were accepted and placed on file.

Resolutions from Aurora Grange, representing a membership of 160, relating to telegraphs, telephones and other public utilities;

Also resolutions of Massapaqua Grange, representing a membership of 120, favoring equal suffrage for women;

Also resolutions for the same purpose from the following Granges, with respective membership as indicated:

Olamon Grange, 65; Glenwood Valley Grange, 43; Dirigo Grange, 120; East Bluehill Grange, 168; Mt. Cutler Grange, 91; Harvest Home Grange, 66; Norland Grange, 240; Sweden Grange, 59; Verona Grange, 161; Sidney Grange, 236; Norway Grange, 295; Machias Valley Grange, 200; Starling Grange, 116; Cushnoc Grange, 153; Clinton Grange, 285; Topsham Grange, 320; Minerva Grange, 246; Cascade Grange, 320; East Sangerville Grange, 100;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Remonstrance of G. C. Bradbury and 26 others against the resident hunter's license;

Bill "An Act amendatory of Sections 67 and 68 of Chapter 79 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to reporter of decisions;"

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 56 and 57 of Chapter 47 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the rights of minority stockholders;"

Bill "An Act entitled 'An Act to prevent procreation of confirmed criminals, idiots, imbeciles and rapists;'"

Resolutions of Riverside Grange, representing a membership of 74, favoring an Act to amend Chapter 129 of the

Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones;

Resolutions for the same purpose from the following Granges, with respective membership as indicated:

Oxford Grange, 75 members; Mystic Tie Grange, 175; Buckfield Grange, 90; Mountain Grange, 160; Fryeburg Grange, 142; Mt. Sugar Loaf Grange, 87; Southport Grange, 34; North Franklin Grange, 211; Goodwin's Mills Grange, 70; Morning Light Grange, 223; Monmouth Grange, 288; Canaan Grange, 420; Penobscot View Grange, 100; Readfield Grange, 245; Androscoggin Grange, 258; Golden Sheaf Grange, 300; Haynesville Grange, 35; Pine Tree Grange, 190; Harmony Grange, 175; Franklin Grange, 224; Pittston Grange, 71; Woolwich Grange, 149; Indian River Grange, 72; Milbridge Grange, 131; Littleton Grange, 235; Valley Grange, 44; Branch Mills Grange, 100; Pembroke Grange, 110; Floral Grange, 75; Abbot Grange, 120; Paris Grange, 215; Rockemeka Grange, 75; East Piscataquis Pomona Grange, 475; Bear River Grange, 81;

Remonstrance of William W. Brown and nine others against the passage of House Bill No. 144;

Remonstrances of the following against the same:

E. M. Staples and 47 others of Waldo; A. P. Emery and 17 others; D. Mooney and 24 others of Bangor; T. E. Dyer and 19 others; B. B. Shibles and 36 others of Knox; Samuel L. Freese and 67 others; Emma Eames and 47 others; Frank Atkins and 22 others of Fairfield; Wilder D. Peterson and 24 others; Benjamin M. Bradbury and 22 others of Fairfield; A. M. Stubbs and 26 others; S. W. Shibles of Morrill and 22 others; C. A. Frost and 27 others; F. H. Herring and 23 others; C. E. Higgins and 32 others of Brewer; George Downes and 64 others of Bucksport; M. E. Cole and 48 others; A. L. Hewes and 25 others of Bangor; C. H. Pierce and 62 others; L. C. Clark and 23 others of Levant; Leslie Sparrow and 98 others of Hampden; William Lovell and 20 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 51 of Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 46 of the Public Laws of 1907, Chapters 70 and 257 of the Public Laws of 1909, Chapters 55, 118 and 143 of the Public Laws of 1911, and Chapter 87 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the employment of women and children,"

Was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act relating to qualifications and duties of the inspectors of steamboats,

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to regulate the sale of lightning rods;"

Bill "An Act relating to the fixing of rates by fire insurance companies;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 21 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the use of the cinematograph, cinetograph, kinetoscope, and moving picture machines;"

Were referred to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Petition of L. P. Toothaker and 47 other legal voters of the town of Dixmont in favor of an appropriation by the State of Maine in aid of the town of Plymouth, Maine, for the repairing and rebuilding of Long Bridge, so called, in said town of Plymouth,

Was referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. THIBODEAU of Fort Kent,

ORDERED, That the House of Representatives respectfully requests the Honorable Senate to ask His Excellency the Governor to return to the Senate House Resolve Number 108, the same being Resolve appropriating money to aid the Plantation of Wallagrass in constructing a bridge, which was finally passed in the House Wednesday, February the 24th.

The Senate is further requested upon the return of said Resolve to reconsider its action whereby the same was finally

passed in concurrence, and after such reconsideration to return said Resolve to the House for its further consideration.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The order was tabled and assigned for Tuesday.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
ORDERED, That the Clerk of the House convey a message to the Senate informing that body that the following Resolves, which were returned by the Governor without his approval, have each failed to receive the affirmative vote of two thirds of the members of the House:—

“Resolve appropriating money to aid in the construction of a road in the town of Moscow;”

“Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing and altering the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset;”

“Resolve appropriating money to aid in improving a highway in Caratunk Plantation.”

On motion of Mr. St. CLAIR of Calais,
Was tabled and assigned for Tuesday.

On motion of Mr. DAIGLE of New Canada,
ORDERED, That the House of Representatives respectfully request the Honorable Senate to ask His Excellency the Governor to return to the Senate, House Resolve No. 110, the same being “Resolve appropriating money to aid the Plantation of New Canada in constructing a bridge across Perley Brook,” which was finally passed in the House Wednesday, February the 24th, and finally passed in concurrence in the Senate Thursday, February the 25th, and

The Senate is further requested upon the return of said Resolve to reconsider its action whereby the same was finally passed in concurrence and after such reconsideration to return said Resolve to the House for its further consideration.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
The order was tabled and assigned for Tuesday next.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture, on Resolve for the protection of trees and shrubs from the ravages of dangerous insects and diseases, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. WOODMAN from the Committee on Claims reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Lizzie Bean.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of the town of Perry.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Samuel D. Erskine, Moses Erskine, Elmer H. Boynton and Delbert L. Fowles.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of the town of Shirley.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of the town of Merrill.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of the city of Oldtown,

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of reimbursing the town of Norridgewock for money paid out to support Eugene P. Hopkins and family.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to regulate the catching of white perch in Little River, in Old Orchard, in the County of York," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of white perch in Little River, in Old Orchard, in the County of York," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of A. L. Carr of Sangerville, and 170 others, asking that pickerel fishing through the ice be permitted in Harlow Pond in Parkman, in the County of Piscataquis, reported a Bill which is herewith submitted, entitled "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206

of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Harlow Pond, in Parkman, in the County of Piscataquis."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of M. M. Grant and 38 others, residents of Waldo County, asking that Meadow Brook and its tributaries, situated in Stockton Springs and Prospect, be closed to fishing, reported a Bill which is herewith submitted, under title of "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Meadow Brook and its tributaries, in Stockton Springs and Prospect, in the County of Waldo."

Mr. CAMPBELL from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Greenville Light and Power Company."

Mr. CONNERS from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to enlarge the purposes of the New England Fish Company."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Penobscot Bay Electric Company."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend 'An Act establishing the Bangor Municipal Court.'"

Mr. THOMBS from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 13 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 103 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the Bingham Water District."

Mr. DUTTON from the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance, on Bill "An Act relating to the adjustment and payment of fire losses," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. MORSE from the Committee on Railroads and Expresses reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Farmington-Oakland Inter-Urban Railway."

Mr. CORLISS from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lubec, East Machias and Machias Railway Company."

Mr. HARADEN from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Inter-Urban Ferry Company."

Mr. RYDER from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to allow transportation companies to issue free or reduced rate transportation to their employes holding State, County or Municipal offices, except such travels as are paid by the State, County or Municipality."

Mr. CURRIER from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 61 of Laws of 1891, relating to Limerock Railroad Company."

Mr. MORSE from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Rumford Falls and Bethel Street Railway."

Mr. CURRIER from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Waldo Street Railway Company."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend the charters of the Thomaston Street Railway Company; The Rockland Street Railway Company; and The Camden and Rockport Street Railroad Company."

Mr. RYDER from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln County Street Railway."

Mr. WASGATT from the Committee on Taxation, on Bill "An Act for the prompt payment of poll taxes," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. McCORRISON from the Committee on Towns reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to incorporate the town of Chapman in Aroostook County."

Mr. BALLARD from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 166 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887, relating to Fort Fairfield Village Corporation."

Mr. SMITH from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to change the name of Mark Island, lying in Penobscot Bay in the County of Hancock, about two miles east-southeast of Dark Harbor in Islesboro, in the County of Waldo, and in Latitude 44° 15' 30" N., and Longitude 68° 52' W., to Resolution Island."

The reports were accepted, and the accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. GOODING from the Committee on Taxation reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to permit Home Rule in the imposition of the poll tax."

Mr. EDWARDS from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Sub-Section 5 of Section 6 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, relating to taxation of live stock."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to repeal Section 16 of Chapter 8 of the Revised Statutes, relating to enumeration of poultry."

Mr. WASGATT from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 8 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the prompt payment of poll taxes," the subject matter of this Bill being included in another Bill.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Majority report of Committee on State Prison, on Resolve (House Document No. 63) in favor of altering and enlarging

the State Prison at Thomaston, reporting that the same ought not to pass.

(Signed)

Messrs. M. D. Chatto,
A. J. Fulton,
C. R. Dunton,
E. W. Ellis,
Richard T. Leader,
George H. Brown,
F. S. Lord,
M. P. Tobey.

Minority report of same Committee, on same Resolve (House Document No. 63) in favor of altering and enlarging the State Prison at Thomaston, reporting that the same ought to pass.

(Signed)

Messrs. Edgar S. Fossett,
Charles S. Watts.

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro,

Both reports were tabled, pending the acceptance of either, and Wednesday, March 10, assigned for their consideration.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the determination of highway boundaries which are doubtful, uncertain or lost" (House Document No. 356);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 67 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the distribution of personal estate" (House Document No. 357);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 64 of the Revised Statutes, relating to masters, apprentices and servants" (House Document No. 358);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 31 of the Revised Statutes by including shooting galleries in the provisions thereof" (House Document No. 360);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 81 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to sealing milk bottles and jars" (House Document No. 361);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 91 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to guide posts at crossings of ways" (House Document No. 362);

Bill "An Act relating to cancellation of insurance agent's license for over insurance" (House Document No. 363);

Were read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading,

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing highway in town of Concord (House Document No. 364);

Was read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Resolve in favor of repairing the main highway leading from the town of Franklin in Hancock County to the town of Cherryfield in Washington County (House Document No. 365);

Was read once, and, on motion of Mr. WELCH of Machiasport, tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Thursday.

Bill "An Act to exempt neat stock thirty months old and under, and all sheep and swine, from taxation" (House Document No. 366);

Bill "An Act for the better protection of clams within the limits of the town of Harpswell in the County of Cumberland" (House Document No. 367);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 251 of the Special Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 28 of the Special Laws of 1909, entitled 'An Act for the better protection of alewives, shad and sturgeon in the various rivers in Maine'" (House Document No. 368);

Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of the Judge and Recorder of the Eastport Municipal Court" (House Document No. 369);

Bill "An Act to regulate the employment of subordinates by Legislative Committees" (House Document No. 370);

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Governor" (House Document No. 371);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 43 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the appointment of an agent or attorney by non-resident executors or administrators" (House Document No. 372);

Bill "An Act to repeal certain obsolete sections of Chapter 26 of the Revised Statutes, relating to fences of common fields" (House Document No. 373);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 40 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to notices of appointment by executors and administrators" (House Document No. 374);

Bill "An Act to extend the time in which the Maine Title Insurance Company is authorized to commence business" (House Document No. 375);

Bill "An Act providing licenses for adjusters of fire losses" (House Document No. 376);

Bill "An Act prohibiting the rebating of premiums of fire insurance" (House Document No. 377);

Bill "An Act relating to qualifications of insurance agents" (House Document No. 378);

Bill "An Act requiring reports from property owners in case of fire and fixing liability of owners under certain conditions" (House Document No. 379);

Bill "An Act providing for punishment of offenses against habitations and other buildings" (House Document No. 381);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes of 1903" relating to appointment of inspector of buildings" (House Document No. 380);

Resolve in favor of an appropriation to restore the early records in the office of the Clerk of Courts for York County (House Document No. 382);

Resolve in favor of an History of Pemaquid, of Bristol (House Document No. 383);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln Sewerage Company" (House Document No. 384);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln Light and Power Company" (House Document No. 385);

Bill "An Act to legalize and confirm the incorporation and doings of the Congregational Church Society of Stonington, Maine" (House Document No. 386);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 522 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, establishing the Sanford Municipal Court, as amended by Chapter 340 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909" (House Document No. 387);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 201 of the Private and Special Laws of the State of Maine for the year 1911, relating to the Guilford Water District" (House Document No. 388);

Bill "An Act to extend the rights, powers and privileges of the Barrows Falls Light and Power Company" (House Document No. 389);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 71 of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 174 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the jurisdiction of the Superior Court for Cumberland County in divorce cases" (House Document No. 390);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 55 of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes, relating to fixing the time within which exceptions and motions for new trials may be filed in civil and criminal cases" (House Document No. 391);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 87 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to employment agencies" (House Document No. 392);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 119 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to banks, institutions for savings, trust compa-

nies, and loan and building associations" (House Document No. 393);

Bill "An Act in relation to the improvement of highways with a road machine or similar device, after the tenth day of August in any year" (Senate Document No. 164);

Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for the purchase and installation of equipment for the industrial department (Senate Document No. 124);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolve read the second time, all passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to repair Mopang Bridge in Township No. 30, Middle Division, Washington County, (Senate Document No. 161),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was then tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Thursday.

Resolve appropriating money to repair the bridges across Northeast Brook and Canoe Brook in Township No. 29, Middle Division, Washington County (Senate Document No. 162);

Resolve appropriating money to partially reimburse the town of Deblois for money expended in building a bridge (Senate Document No. 163);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their reports thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolves were then tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Thursday.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 8, 46 and 54 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the compensation of committees in highway proceedings" (House Document No. 330);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 23 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, as amended by Section 3 of Chapter 160 of the Public Laws of the same year, and to amend Section 24 of Chapter 221, relating to filling vacancies in nominations made at a primary election" (House Document No. 331);

Bill "An Act to increase the salary of the Recorder of the Houlton Municipal Court" (House Document No. 332);

Bill "An Act to authorize the Kennebec Lumber Company to maintain piers and booms in the Kennebec River above the Augusta Dam" (House Document No. 333);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 285 of the Private and Special Laws of the year 1911, relative to the water rights of the Dover and Foxcroft Water District" (House Document No. 335);

Bill "An Act to provide for the semi-monthly payment for cream and milk" (House Document No. 339);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911 as amended by Chapter 74 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to Livestock" (House Document No. 340);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 19 and 20 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the bond and records of the Registers of Probate" (House Document No. 342);

Resolve appropriating money for further investigation of, and for improvement in, the methods of marketing the farm products and purchasing supplies for the farm (House Document No. 343);

Resolve making an appropriation for co-operative agricultural work between the College of Agriculture of the University of Maine and the United States Department of Agriculture (House Document No. 341);

Resolve assenting to the provisions of "An Act of the Congress of the United States, approved May 8, 1914, entitled 'An Act to provide for Co-Operative Agricultural Extension Work between the Agricultural Colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of the Act of Congress approved July 2, 1862,

and of Acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture'” (House Document No. 338);

Resolve appropriating money in the interest of seed and crop improvement in the State of Maine (House Document No. 337);

Resolve appropriating money for the placing of buoys and lights to aid navigation on Moosehead Lake (House Document No. 334);

Bill “An Act to fix the salary of the Judge and Recorder of the Municipal Court of Sanford” (House Document No. 308);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the Third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill “An Act For the Relief of the Needy Blind Residents of Maine;”

Bill “An Act to Amend and Extend the Charter of the Baker and Spencer Brook Dam and Improvement Company;”

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Lester Patten;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Mary E. Elwell;

Resolve Providing an Increased Pension for Salathiel D. Seeley;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, and Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Voted that the Public Printer be instructed to print 500 extra copies of House Document No. 294.

On motion of Mr. RYDER of Brownville,

Memorial to Congress relative to retirement and pensions of Civil Service Employees (House Document No. 301),

Which was tabled pending second reading, for filing of statement of facts, February 25, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, the required statement of facts having been received.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The Memorial was read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls,

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 60 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Sawtelle Dam and Improvement Company'" (House Document No. 336),

Which was tabled pending third reading, February 26, on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of Mr. CAMPBELL, was read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. MAXWELL of Boothbay Harbor,
Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. Tuesday, March 2.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,

TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Evans of Gardiner.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to provide that the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner shall be a veterinary surgeon,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of the Treasurer of State to enable him to properly balance and settle accounts with the various cities, towns and plantations for the year 1914.

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 89, Chapter 48, Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to Foreign Investment Corporations,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 29 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the closed time on deer in Cumberland County;"

Petition of G. H. Hanscom of Casco and 70 others in favor of extending the open season on deer in Cumberland County;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act entitled 'An Act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the method of settling damage caused by opening, altering, widening or changing the grade of State or State aid highways,'"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 31 of Chapter 49 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to insurance and insurance companies;"

Bill "An Act authorizing the Insurance Commissioner to review rates fixed by fire insurance companies or the representatives of fire insurance companies;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 25 of Chapter 143 of Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to the commitment to the Maine Industrial School for Girls;"

Bill "An Act to change the name of Maine Industrial School for Girls, and to change the name of principal to that of superintendent;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

Report from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, reporting "ought to pass," on Resolve providing for the examination of claims for State pensions (Senate Document No. 175).

Report from the Committee on Interior Waters reporting same on Bill "An Act to close Socatean Stream to power boats" (Senate Document No. 169).

Report from the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Mount Vernon Water and Electric Company" (Senate Document No. 179).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend 'An Act to provide for nomination of candidates of political parties by primary election'" (Senate Document No. 178).

Report from the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance, reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 55 of Chapter 49 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter

47 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the enforcement of a mortgagee's lien for insurance" (Senate Document No. 180).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to the liquidation of domestic insurance companies" (Senate Document No. 181).

Report from same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the World Standard Insurance Company" (Senate Document No. 182).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to cancellation of fire policies without tender of return premium" (Senate Document No. 184).

Report from the Committee on Revision of the Statutes reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 71 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 59 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the authority of towns to raise money" (Senate Document No. 185).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to provide for the reduction in the penal sum of probate bonds" (Senate Document No. 186).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the nomination of United States Senators" (Senate Document No. 187).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 52 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes to provide for filling vacancies in the representation of the State in the United States Senate" (Senate Document No. 188).

Report from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting same on Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing a highway in the towns of Whitneyville and Marshfield and providing for the future maintenance thereof (Senate Document No. 170).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Resolve appropriating money to aid the town of Trescott in repairing its highways (Senate Document No. 171).

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a bridge across the South Branch of Dead River in the Plantation of Dallas (Senate Document No. 172).

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice and Resolves read once, and to-morrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Report from the Committee on Judiciary on Bill "An Act to amend Section 71 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 24 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to attachments," reporting that legislation thereon is inexpedient, as the subject is covered by another Bill.

The report was accepted in concurrence and returned to the Senate.

Remonstrance of Foster E. Ames and 23 others, residents of Macwahoc, against the enactment of Senate Bill No. 106;

Remonstrance of H. L. Good and 44 others of Monticello against the same;

Were referred to the Aroostook County Delegation.

Resolutions from Washburn Grange in favor of the distribution of State funds;

Resolutions of the following for the same purpose:

Crystal Lake Grange, representing 81 members; Huntton Hill Grange, 76; Stevens Mills Grange, 121; Seven Star Grange, 70; Hartland Grange, 264; Palmyra Grange, 140; Star of Progress Grange, 80;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Remonstrance of George E. Emery and 52 others against the passage of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for a resident hunter's license,"

Was referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Resolutions of Monticello Grange, representing a membership of 291, favoring equal suffrage for women;

Resolutions of the following for the same purpose, with the respective memberships: East Eddington Grange, 140; Georges River Grange, 73; Morning Light Grange, 223; Mountain Grange, 160; Tranquility Grange, 117; Goodwins Mills Grange, 70; Fryeburg, 142; Mt. Sugar Loaf Grange, 87; Southport Grange, 34; Monmouth Grange, 288; North Franklin Grange, 211; Pittston Grange, 11; Waterford Grange, 46; Pleasant Valley Grange, 68; Houlton Grange, 1058; Alder River, 62; Readfield Grange, 217; Penobscot View Grange, 100; Penobscot Grange, 108; Indian River Grange, 72; East Hebron Grange, 157; Buckfield Grange, 90; Crystal Lake Grange, 81; Palmyra Grange, 140; Stevens Mills Grange, 121; Seven Star Grange, 70; South Sangerville Grange, 127; Sebas-ticook Grange, 110; Mt. Pleasant Grange, 42; Round Mountain Grange, 57; Hartland Grange, 264; Star of Progress Grange, 80; Auburn Grange, 412;

Remonstrance of Rex O. Church and 19 others of Augusta, against the passage of House Bill 144; also remonstrances of G. T. Stevens and 22 other residents of Augusta, against same;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act creating a Board of Appeal for fire insurance rates,"

Was referred to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Remonstrance of Warren Higgins and 32 others of Frenchboro against any change of the present lobster laws affecting the waters of Mount Desert, Southwest Harbor, Cranberry Isle, Tremont, Swans Island and the adjacent waters thereto,

Was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Petition of Henry W. Sargent and 35 others in favor of an appropriation to complete the approaches to the State Ferry at Eggmoggin Reach,

Was referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions on Bill "An Act for pensions to employees of the city of Bangor," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Eliza E. Philbrook of Kittery.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve providing for a State pension for Clarence M. Smith of Norway.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Alonzo J. Nevers.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Lucy A. Owens, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Mary Allen, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. St. CLAIR from the Committee on Revision of the Statutes reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 44 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section 3 of Chapter 116 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to local sealers of weights and measures,"

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to consolidate Sections 14 and 27 of Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the penalty for unlawful use of containers marked with registered devices, and

to amend Section 39 of said Chapter, relating to search warrants therefor."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 44 of the Revised Statutes, providing for a penalty for neglect of duty by local sealers of weights and measures."

The reports were accepted, and the accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Majority Report of the Committee on Temperance, on Bill "An Act to provide for the sale of intoxicating liquors for medicinal and mechanical purposes and the arts," reporting "ought not to pass."

(Signed)

Messrs. Frank L. Allen,
Leslie Boynton,
Young A. Thurston,
Ashley St. Clair,
Eugene I. Herrick
William B. Bragdon,
Frank Russell,
Lorenzo T. Brown.

Minority Report of the same Committee on same Bill reporting that same ought to pass in a new draft.

(Signed)

Messrs. Edgar S. Fossett
Henry F. Brawn

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

The reports were tabled pending acceptance of either, and Wednesday, March 10, assigned for their consideration.

Resolve in favor of James J. Clement of Montville (House Document No. 394);

Resolve in favor of Levite V. Thibodeau (House Document No. 395);

Resolve in favor of Peter Harmon of Thorndike (House Document No. 396);

Resolve in favor of Arthur C. Smith, Secretary of Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, for expenses of that Committee on a visit to the Boys School (House Document No. 397);

Resolve in favor of W. A. Ricker, Secretary of the Committee on Education (House Document No. 400);

Were read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 4, 7 and 8, and adding Section 12 to Chapter 65 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the Department of Labor and Industry" (House Document No. 401);

Was read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Resolve in favor of the State School for Boys (House Document No. 402);

Was read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of certain public officers" (House Document No. 403),

Was read once, and, on motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland, tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Thursday, March 11.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 183 of the Acts and Resolves of 1907, defining compensations of members of the Government; which Chapter is an amendment to Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 53 of the Public Laws of 1905" (House Document No. 404);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 69 of Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the remuneration of deputy sheriffs" (House Document No. 405);

Were read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to create the office of Commissioner of Inland Fish and Game and to abolish the office of Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game" (House Document No. 406),

Was read once, and, on motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, tabled pending second reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 10, Chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes for the benefit of County Law Libraries" (House Document No. 407);

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 9 of Section 13 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the taxation of personal property held by religious societies" (House Document No. 408);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 25 and 30 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the taxation of the property of corporations" (House Document No. 409);

Were read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the office of the County Treasurer" (House Document No. 410);

Was read twice, and, on motion of Mr. GILMOUR of Westbrook, tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Thursday, March 11.

Bill "An Act to regulate the construction of mausoleums or tombs to be use for permanent burial" (House Document No. 411);

Bill "An Act to establish a minimum wage for State House Employees" (House Document No. 412);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 290 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Rumford and Mexico Water District'" (House Document No. 413);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Forest Lake, in Cumberland County" (House Document No. 414);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Tilton, Davis and Basin Ponds, in the town of Fayette, in the County of Kennebec" (House Document No. 415);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing through the ice in Brewer Pond, in the County of Penobscot and in the County of Hancock" (House Document No. 416);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Big Indian Pond, in St. Albans, in the County of Somerset" (House Document No. 417);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to protection of foxes" (House Document No. 418);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Passadumkeag River, sometimes called Passadumkeag Stream, in the County of Penobscot and in the County of Hancock" (House Document No. 419);

Bill "An Act to further amend Section 62 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 48 of the Public Laws of 1905, and by Chapter 88 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to high schools" (House Document No. 420);

Were read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Resolve in favor of the town of Newfield for the payment of additional State school funds for the year 1912 (House Document No. 421),

Was read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 34 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 173 of the Public Laws of 1911, and Chapter 78 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the employment of superintendents of schools" (House Document No. 422);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Meadow Brook and its tributaries in Stockton Springs and Prospect, in the County of Waldo" (House Document No. 424);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Harlow Pond, in Parkman, in the County of Piscataquis" (House Document No. 425);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of white perch in Little River, in Old Orchard, in the County of York" (House Document No. 426);

Were read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Resolve in favor of reimbursing the town of Norridgewock for money paid out to support Eugene P. Hopkins and family (House Document No. 427);

Resolve in favor of the city of Oldtown (House Document No. 428);

Resolve in favor of the town of Merrill (House Document No. 429);

Resolve in favor of the town of Shirley (House Document No. 430);

Resolve in favor of Samuel D. Erskine, Moses Erskine, Wilber B. Tibbetts, Elmer H. Boynton and Delbert L. Fowles, (House Document No. 431);

Resolve in favor of the town of Perry (House Document No. 432);

Resolve in favor of Lizzie Bean (House Document No. 433);

Resolve for the protection of trees and shrubs from the ravages of dangerous insects and diseases (House Document No. 434);

Were read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of Greenville Light and Power Company" (House Document No. 435);

Bill "An Act to enlarge the purposes of the New England Fish Company" (House Document No. 436);

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Penobscot Bay Electric Company" (House Document No. 437) ;

Bill "An Act to amend an Act establishing the Bangor Municipal Court; also amendatory to an amendment to said Act passed in 1905, laws thereof, Chapter 392" (House Document No. 438) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 13 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911 as amended by Chapter 103 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the Bingham Water District" (House Document No. 439) ;

Bill "An Act relating to the adjustment and payment of fire losses" (House Document No. 440) ;

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Farmington-Oakland Interurban Railway" (House Document No. 441) ;

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lubec, Machias and East Machias Railway" (House Document No. 442) ;

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Inter-Urban Ferry Company" (House Document No. 443) ;

Bill "An Act to allow transportation companies to issue free or reduced rate transportation to their employees holding State, County or Municipal offices, except on such travels as are paid by the State or County or Municipality" (House Document No. 444) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 61 of the Laws of 1891 relating to Limerock Railway Company" (House Document No. 445) ;

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Rumford Falls and Bethel Street Railway" (House Document No. 446) ;

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Waldo Street Railway Company" (House Document No. 447) ;

Bill "An Act to amend the charters of the Thomaston Street Railway Company, the Rockland Street Railway Company, and the Camden & Rockport Street Railroad Company" (House Document No. 448) ;

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln County Street Railway" (House Document No. 449);

Bill "An Act for the prompt payment of poll taxes" (House Document No. 450);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the town of Chapman in Aroostook County" (House Document No. 451);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 166 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887, entitled 'An Act creating the Fort Fairfield Village Corporation,' as amended by Chapter 303 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, and as amended by Chapters 116 and 210 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 242 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, and as amended by Chapter 50 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913" (House Document No. 452);

Bill "An Act to change the name of Mark Island, lying in Penobscot Bay in the County of Hancock, about two miles east southeast of Dark Harbor in Islesboro, in the County of Waldo, and in latitude 44° 15' 30" N., and longitude 68° 52' W., to Resolution Island" (House Document No. 453);

Were read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of the Judges of Probate" (Senate Document No. 151),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Tabled pending third reading and assigned for Thursday, March 11.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of County Attorneys" (Senate Document No. 152),

Was reported from committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Thursday, March 11.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of County Treasurers" (Senate Document No. 154),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. GILMOUR of Westbrook,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Thursday, March 11.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 79 of the Public Laws of 1905 and by Chapter 143 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the determination of highway boundaries which are doubtful, uncertain or lost" (House Document No. 356);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 67 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the distribution of personal estate" (House Document No. 357);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 64 of the Revised Statutes, relating to masters, apprentices and servants" (House Document No. 358);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 31 of the Revised Statutes by including shooting galleries in the provisions thereof" (House Document No. 360);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 81 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to sealing milk bottles and jars" (House Document No. 361);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 91 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 27 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to guide posts at crossings of ways" (House Document No. 362);

Bill "An Act relating to cancellation of insurance agent's license for over-insurance" (House Document No. 363);

Bill "An Act to exempt neat stock thirty months old and under, and all sheep and swine from taxation" (House Document No. 366);

Bill "An Act for the better protection of clams within the limits of the town of Harpswell, in the County of Cumberland" (House Document No. 367);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 251 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 28 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, entitled 'An Act for the better protection of alewives, shad and sturgeon in the various rivers in Maine'" (House Document No. 368);

Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of the Judge and Recorder of the Eastport Municipal Court" (House Document No. 369);

Bill "An Act to regulate the employment of subordinates by Legislative Committees" (House Document No. 370);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, read the third time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Governor of Maine" (House Document No. 371),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and read the third time.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was then tabled pending passage to be engrossed, and assigned for Thursday, March 11.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 43 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the appointment of an agent or attorney by non-resident executors or administrators" (House Document No. 372),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to repeal certain obsolete sections of Chapter 26 of the Revised Statutes, relating to fences of common fields" (House Document No. 373),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

ORDERED, The House concurring, that the Senate and House hold one session a day beginning at nine o'clock in the forenoon, until otherwise ordered.

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence. (Received out of order.)

Bill "An Act to amend Section 40 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to notices of appointment by executors and administrators" (House Document No. 374);

Bill "An Act to extend the time in which the Maine Title Insurance Company is authorized to commence business" (House Document No. 375);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act providing licenses for adjusters of fire losses" (House Document No. 376),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and read the third time.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill was then tabled pending passage to be engrossed, and assigned for Friday.

ORDERED, The House concurring, that all joint standing committees make their final reports on all Bills and Resolves heard by them, on or before March 16, 1915,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence. (Received out of order.)

Bill "An Act prohibiting the rebating of premiums on fire or liability insurance" (House Document No. 377),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 64 of the Public Laws of 1913, being additional to Sections 96, 97 and 98 of the Revised Statutes, relating to qualifications of insurance agents" (House Document No. 378),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill was then tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Friday.

Bill "An Act requiring reports from property owners in case of fire and fixing liability of owners under certain conditions" (House Document No. 379);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes, relating to appointment of inspector of buildings" (House Document No. 380);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 120 of the Revised Statutes, relating to punishment of offenses against habitations and others buildings" (House Document No. 381);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln Sewerage Company" (House Document No. 384);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln Light and Power Company" (House Document No. 385),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The Bill was then tabled pending third reading.

Bill "An Act to legalize and confirm the incorporation and doings of the Congregational Church Society of Stonington, Maine" (House Document No. 386);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 522 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, as amended by Chapter 340 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the establishment of the

Sanford Municipal Court, and to its jurisdiction" (House Document No. 387);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 201 of the Private and Special Laws of the State of Maine for the year 1911, relating to the Guilford Water District" (House Document No. 388);

Bill "An Act to extend the rights, powers and privileges of the Barrows Falls Light and Power Company" (House Document No. 389);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 71 of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1911 as amended by Chapter 174 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the jurisdiction of the Superior Court for Cumberland County in divorce cases" (House Document No. 390);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 55 of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes, relating to fixing the time within which exceptions and motions for new trials, may be filed in civil and criminal cases" (House Document No. 391);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 87 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to employment agencies" (House Document No. 392);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 119 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to Banks, Institutions for Savings, Trust Companies and Loan and Building Associations" (House Document No. 393),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. MORSE of Rumford, offered House Amendment "A," which was adopted, and the Bill was then read the third time, and passed to be engrossed, as amended by House Amendment "A," and sent to the Senate.

Resolve providing for the payment of State pensions (Senate Document No. 159),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Resolve read second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing an highway in the town of Concord (House Document No. 364),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

The Resolve was then tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Thursday.

Resolve in favor of an appropriation to restore the early records in the office of the Clerk of Courts for York County (House Document No. 382),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Resolve read second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money for the purchase of 300 copies of the History of Ancient Pemaquid in the town of Bristol, Lincoln County (House Document No. 383),

On motion of Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham,

Was recommitted to Committee on Library. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. St. CLAIR of Calais, was reconsidered the vote by which

Bill "An Act to Amend Section 21 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter 69 of the Public Laws of 1907, Relating to Deposits in Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings in the Names of Married Women and Minors," (Senate Document No. 121),

Was passed to be engrossed, February 25, in the House.

Same gentleman then offered House Amendment "A," which was adopted, and the Bill was then passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A," and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. BENN of Hodgdon,

Resolve in favor of building a bridge across the Mattawamkeag River, in the town of Haynesville in the County of Aroostook,

Which was tabled pending acceptance of committee report, February 17, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Order requesting Senate to return House Resolve No. 108.

Came up by assignment, having been tabled pending passage, February 27, on motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton.

On motion of same gentleman,

The order was reassigned for to-morrow.

Ordered that no Bill or Resolve carrying an appropriation of money shall be finally passed prior to the sixteenth day of March, next,

Came up by assignment, and was re-assigned for to-morrow.

Order requesting Senate to return House Resolve No. 110.

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The order was re-assigned for to-morrow.

Order notifying Senate that Resolves appropriating money to aid in constructing a road in Moscow, repairing and altering the River road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation, and for improving a highway in Caratunk Plantation, had failed to receive an affirmative vote of two thirds of the members of the House after being vetoed by the Governor,

Which was tabled February 27 on motion of Mr. St CLAIR of Calais, came up by assignment, and was re-assigned for to-morrow.

Bill "An Act to fix the standard weight of certain commodities" (House Document No. 323),

Which was tabled pending passage to be engrossed, February 26, on motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of same gentleman, the Bill was re-assigned for to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of Portland,

Majority and Minority Reports of Committee on Judiciary, on Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving political rights to women upon equal terms with men,

Which were tabled pending acceptance, February 23,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of same gentleman,

The majority report, "ought to pass," was accepted, and the accompanying Resolve ordered printed under joint rules.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Resolve in favor of the town of Bridgton (House Document No. 222),

Which was tabled pending second reading, February 25, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table.

Same gentleman offered House Amendment "A," which was adopted. On further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Resolve in favor of the Assistant Folder and Page of Seventy-sixth Legislature (House Document No. 144),

Which was tabled pending passage to be engrossed, February 26, on motion of same gentleman,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
ORDERED, That an additional 500 copies of House Bill No.
310 be ordered printed.

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. to-morrow, Wednesday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Dunnack of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolutions of Aroostook County Pomona Grange in favor
of the passage of the Bill enabling the University of Maine to
take advantage of the provisions of the Smith-Lever Act,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agri-
culture.

Resolutions of Aroostook County Pomona Grange against
the passage of the Bill exempting neat stock from taxation,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Taxation.

Petition of J. F. Holman and 28 others of Athens to repeal
the State Highway Commission,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and
Bridges.

Report of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell, to provide for the payment of interest on trust funds deposited in the State Treasury (Senate Document No. 176).

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs, reporting same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Salisbury Cove Water Company" (Senate Document No. 177).

Report of the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance reporting same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Maine Fire Insurance Company" (Senate Document No. 183).

Report of the Committee on Revision of the Statutes reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 73 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the investment of Sinking Funds established by any city or town" (Senate Document No. 189).

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 38 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to jurisdiction of the Probate Courts" (Senate Document No. 190).

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 145 of the Public Laws of the year 1911, entitled 'An Act to insure publicity with respect to the demands upon the State and to facilitate the Legislative Committees in dealing with questions of appropriation'" (Senate Document No. 191).

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Fees reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 27 of Section 1 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes relating to the compensation of the subordinate officers of the Maine State Prison, as amended by Chapter 54 of the Public Laws of 1907 and Chapters 197 and 205 of the Public Laws of 1909" (Senate Document No. 192).

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice and Resolve read once, and to-morrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolve.

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of Registers of Deeds" (Senate Document No. 149).

The report was accepted in concurrence, Bill read twice, and, on motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland, tabled pending third reading, and assigned for March 11.

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of the Registers of Probate" (Senate Document No. 150).

The report was accepted in concurrence, and, on motion of Mr. MILLETT of Belfast, tabled pending first reading and assigned for March 5.

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of the Clerks of the Judicial Courts" (Senate Document No. 160).

The report was accepted in concurrence, Bill read once, and, on motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland, tabled pending second reading, and assigned for March 11.

Report of the same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of sheriffs" (Senate Document No. 148).

The report was accepted in concurrence, Bill read once, and, on motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland, tabled pending second reading, and assigned for March 11.

Report of the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation reporting same on Resolve for retracing and defining the lines around the reserved or school lands of plantations and townships" (Senate Document No. 193).

The report was accepted in concurrence resolve read once, and to-morrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 90 of the Public Laws

of 1907, and Chapter 148 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the conveyance of common school pupils;"

Resolutions in favor of distribution of State school funds according to aggregate attendance, by the following Granges with their respective membership:

Aroostook County Pomona Grange, 2000; Caribou Grange, 463; Amity Grange, 100; Narramissic Grange, 72; Skowhegan Grange, 496; Equity Grange, 58; Saco Grange, 150; Lubec Grange, 394; Dexter Grange, 350; Sabbathday Lake Grange, 113; Pleasant River Grange, 41; Sedgwick Grange, 171; Maria-ville Grange, 135; Rainbow Grange, 143; Seabasticook Grange, 110; South Sangerville, 127; White Oak Grange, 145; Mt. Pleasant Grange, 42;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Resolutions of the following Granges in favor of equal suffrage for women: Dexter Grange, 350; Equity Grange, 58; Skowhegan Grange, 496; Narramissic Grange, 72; Amity Grange, 100; Aroostook County Pomona Grange, 2000; Caribou Grange, 463; Abbot Grange, 120; Bear River Grange, 81; Rockemeka Grange, 75; Paris Grange, 215; Floral Grange, 75; East Piscataquis Pomona Grange, 475; Woolwich Grange, 149; Pembroke Grange, 110; Mystic Tie Grange, 175; Riverside Grange, 74; Oxford Grange, 75; Franklin Grange, 224; Canaan Grange, 420; Harmony Grange, 175; Golden Sheaf Grange 300; Pine Tree Grange, 190;

Were accepted and placed on file.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Berry Pond, in Winthrop, in the County of Kennebec;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 56 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of the State of Maine for 1913, relating to the registration of guides;"

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 161 of the Private Laws of 1913, relating to payment of small legacies to minors under decree of court;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 133 of the Revised Statutes, relating to jurisdiction of municipal courts;"

Resolutions of Mt. Pleasant Grange, representing a membership of 42, favoring an Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913 relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones;

Resolutions of the following Granges, with their respective membership, in favor of same:

Dexter Grange, 350; Lubec Grange, 394; Saco Grange, 150; Equity Grange, 58; Skowhegan Grange, 496; Narramissic Grange, 72; Pleasant River Grange, 41; Amity Grange, 100; Caribou Grange, 463; Auburn Grange, 412; Round Mountain Grange, 57; Sweden Grange, 59; Seabasticook Grange, 110; South Sangerville Grange, 127; Crystal Lake Grange, 81; Sedgwick Grange, 171; Mariaville Grange, 135; Seven Star Grange, 70; Palmyra Grange, 140; Star of Progress Grange, 80; Huntoon Hill Grange, 76; Stevens Mills Grange, 121;

Petition of G. S. Chapman and 22 others, citizens of Bangor and Glenburn, against the enactment of House Document No. 144;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 114 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to arrests and disclosures on leaving the State,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act relating to the compensation of clerks of courts;"

Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of certain public officers;

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 15, Section 1, Chapter 173 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the salary of Register of Deeds of Waldo County;"

Were referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Remonstrance of E. B. Small and 51 others against House Bill 292 relating to seining herring;

Protest of D. W. Joy and 54 others of Addison against any change in our laws relating to catching herring, especially the bill allowing the use of seines within 1000 feet of a fish weir;

Were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture, on Resolve in favor of the Bureau of Horticulture, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to create a crop pest commission."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve for weights and measures, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Resolve to provide for carrying out the provisions of Chapter 156 of the Public Laws of 1913 entitled "An Act to regulate the packing, shipping and sale of apples."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of the New England Fruit Show.

Mr. COFFIN from the Committee on Military Affairs reported same on Resolve in favor of monuments in memory of Benedict Arnold's expedition through Maine to Quebec.

Mr. BESSE from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve in favor of repairing international bridge between Van Buren and St. Leonards, N. B., reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the international bridge between the towns of Van Buren, Maine, and St. Leonards, N. B., and that it ought to pass.

Mr. COBB from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve in favor of repairing and rebuilding the road in the

town of Columbia, Washington County, from Harrington town line to the town line of Columbia Falls, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of repairing a road in the town of Columbia, Washington County, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. BESSE from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of New Canada Plantation in the construction and maintenance of certain of its roads, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in constructing a road in the Plantation of New Canada, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. WILKINS from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the town of Merrill to aid in building a bridge.

Mr. COBB from the same Committee on Resolve in favor of the towns of Enfield and Howland for repairing bridge across Penobscot River, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing bridge across the Penobscot River in the towns of Enfield and Howland, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Eastport Bridge."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in aid of repairing Mill Cove Bridge in the town of Robbinston, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Indian Township for the repair of roads and bridges, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. BESSE from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the town of Howland for maintenance of Seboeis Bridge, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing Seboeis Bridge in the town of Howland, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. BESSE from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of a road in the towns of Amherst and Clifton in the Counties of Hancock and Penobscot, respectively, reported the same in a new draft, under title of resolve in favor of aid in building a road in the towns of Amherst, County of Hancock, and Clifton, County of Penobscot, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. COBB from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the town of Howland to aid in maintaining a bridge across the Piscataquis River in the town of Howland, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing a bridge across the Piscataquis River, in the town of Howland, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. POLLARD from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of widening and otherwise repairing a road in the town of Abbot and County of Piscataquis, reported the same in a new draft, under the title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing a road in the town of Abbot, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 60 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section 98 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the manufacture, transportation and sale of dairy products and their imitations.

Mr. RICKER from the Committee on Education reported the same on Resolve reimbursing Bluehill-George Stevens Academy for money expended for a secondary school in the town of Bluehill, as this matter has been settled with the auditor's department.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Petition of A. M. Linnell and 25 others relative to the protection of fish in Magalloway Waters, also remonstrance

of N. R. Leach and 15 others against any change in the fishing laws governing the Magalloway Waters, report that the petitioners have leave to withdraw, as the subject matter of said petition and remonstrance is covered by a Bill to be reported by this Committee.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act in amendment of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to Inland Fisheries and Game," (close time on trout and salmon) reported that the same be placed on file, as the subject matter is covered by another Bill to be reported by this Committee.

Mr. CAMPBELL from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to abolish the payment of salaries to Judges of the Supreme and Superior Courts after their retirement."

Mr. CONNELLAN from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to abolish the January Term of the Supreme Judicial Court for the County of Washington."

Mr. ST. CLAIR from the Committee on Military Affairs reported the same on Resolve in favor of an appropriation for the preservation of the Regimental Rolls of the War with Spain, in the office of the Adjutant General.

Mr. PERHAM from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported the same on Resolve in favor of grading and surfacing hill adjacent to Garlands Brook in the town of Mariaville.

Mr. POLLARD from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Washington Plantation and Perkins Plantation in Franklin County for the repair and permanent improvement of highway.

Mr. DURGAIN from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of replanking and repainting bridge between East Millinocket and Medway.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the Plantations of Wallagrass and New Canada.

Mr POLLARD from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of repairing a bridge in Drew Plantation.

Mr. PERHAM from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the town of Steuben.

Mr. POLLARD from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the towns of Penobscot and Castine for repair of bridge and road.

Mr. WILKINS from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of resurfacing the State highway between Rockport and Camden.

Mr. PERHAM from the same Committee reported same on Resolve to provide for repairs on the Mt. Desert Toll Bridge whenever it is made a free bridge.

Mr. POLLARD from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of a road way in Townships 5 and 6, 9th Range, N. W. P., in County of Piscataquis.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to close Socatean Stream to power boats" (Senate Document No. 169);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the time of closing the polls at Primary Elections" (Senate Document No. 178);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Mount Vernon Water and Electric Company" (Senate Document No. 179);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 55 of Chapter 49 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 47 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the enforcement of a mortgagee's lien for insurance" (Senate Document No. 180);

Bill "An Act relating to the liquidation of domestic insurance companies" (Senate Document No. 181);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the World Standard Insurance Company" (Standard Document No. 182);

Bill "An Act relating to the cancellation of fire insurance policies without tender of return premium" (Senate Document No. 184);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 71 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 59 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the authority of towns to raise money" (Senate Document No. 185);

Bill "An Act to provide for the reduction in the penal sum of probate bonds" (Senate Document No. 186);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913 relating to the nomination of United States Senators" (Senate Document No. 187);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 52 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes to provide for filling vacancies in the representation of the State in the United States Senate" (Senate Document No. 188);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 4, 7 and 8, and adding Section 12 to Chapter 65 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the Department of Labor and Industry" (House Document No. 401);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 53 of the Public Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 183 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the compensation of members of the Government" (House Document No. 404);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 69 of Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the remuneration of deputy sheriffs" (House Document No. 405);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 157 of the Public Laws of 1905 as amended by Chapter 40 of the Public Laws of 1907, and as amended by Chapter 128 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the support of Law Libraries" (House Document No. 407);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, and, on motion of Mr. HILL of Corinth, tabled pending third reading, and assigned for March 11.

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 9 of Section 13 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the taxation of personal property held by religious societies" (House Document No. 408);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 25 and 30 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 16 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the taxation of the property of corporations" (House Document No. 409);

Bill "An Act to regulate the construction of mausoleums or tombs to be used for permanent burial" (House Document No. 411);

Bill "An Act to establish a minimum wage for State House employees" (House Document No. 412);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 290 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Rumford and Mexico Water District'" (House Document No. 413);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Forest Lake, in Cumberland County" (House Document No. 414);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Tilton, Davis and Basin Ponds, in the town of Fayette, in the County of Kennebec" (House Document No. 415);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing through the ice in Brewer Pond, in the county of Penobscot and in the County of Hancock" (House Document No. 416);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Big Indian Pond, in St. Albans, in the County of Somerset" (House Document No. 417);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of foxes" (House Document No. 418);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Passadumkeag River, sometimes called Passadumkeag Stream, in the County of Penobscot and in the County of Hancock" (House Document No. 419);

Bill "An Act to further amend Section 62 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 48 of the Public Laws of 1905, and by Chapter 88 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to high schools" (House Document No. 420);

Resolve appropriating money for the town of Newfield in payment of additional State school funds for the year 1912 (House Document No. 421);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, and Resolve read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 34 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 173 of the Public Laws of 1911 and Chapter 78 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the employment of superintendents of schools" (House Document No. 422),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read third time, and, on mo-

tion of Mr. MEADER of Chelsea, tabled pending passage to be engrossed, and assigned for March 10.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Meadow Brook and its tributaries, in Stockton Springs and Prospect, in the County of Waldo" (House Document No. 424);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913 relating to ice fishing in Harlow Pond, in Parkman, in the County of Piscataquis" (House Document No. 425);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of white perch in Little River, in Old Orchard, in the County of York" (House Document No. 426);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 244 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 95 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, and as amended by Chapter 117 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to the Greenville Light and Power Company" (House Document No. 435);

Bill "An Act to enlarge the purposes of the New England Fish Company" (House Document No. 436);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 156 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the charter of the Penobscot Bay Electric Company" (House Document No. 437);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 211 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895 as amended by Chapter 392 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, relating to the Bangor Municipal Court" (House Document No. 438);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 15 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 103 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to Bingham Water District" (House Document No. 439);

Bill "An Act relating to the adjustment and payment of fire losses" (House Document No. 440);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 180 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the charter of the Farmington-Oakland Interurban Railway" (House Document No. 441);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 123 of the Private and Special Laws for the year 1911, as amended by Chapter 148 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the charter of the Lubec, East Machias and Machias Railway Company" (House Document No. 442);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 217 of the Private and Special Laws of the year 1913, relating to the charter of the Inter-Urban Ferry Company" (House Document No. 443);

Bill "An Act to allow transportation companies to issue free or reduced rate transportation to their employes holding State, County or Municipal offices, except on such travels as are paid by the State or County or Municipality" (House Document No. 444);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 61 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891, relating to Limerock Railroad Company" (House Document No. 445);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Rumford Falls and Bethel Street Railway" (House Document No. 446);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Waldo Street Railway Company" (House Document No. 447);

Bill "An Act to amend the charters of the Thomaston Street Railway Company, the Rockland Street Railway Company, and the Camden and Rockport Street Railroad Company" (House Document No. 448);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Lincoln County Street Railway" (House Document No. 449);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act for the prompt payment of poll taxes" (House Document No. 450);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the town of Chapman in Aroostook County" (House Document No. 451);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 166 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887, entitled 'An Act creating the Fort Fairfield Village Corporation,' as amended by Chapter 303 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, and as amended by Chapters 116 and 210 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 242 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, and as amended by Chapter 50 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913" (House Document No. 452);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to change the name of Mark Island, lying in Penobscot Bay in the County of Hancock, about two miles east southeast of Dark Harbor in Islesboro, in the County of Waldo, and in latitude 44° 15' 30" N., and longitude 68° 52' W., to Resolution Island" (House Document No. 453),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing a highway in the towns of Whitneyville and Marshfield, and providing for the future maintenance thereof (House Document No. 170),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and, on motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland, tabled pending second reading, and assigned for March 9.

Resolve appropriating money to aid town of Trescott in repairing its highways (House Document No. 171);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a bridge across the South Branch of Dead River in the Plantation of Dallas (Senate Document No. 172);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, and, on motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland, tabled pending second reading, and assigned for March 9.

Resolve providing for the examination of claims for State pensions (Senate Document No. 175);

Resolve in favor of James J. Clement of Montville (House Document No. 394);

Resolve in favor of Levite V. Thibodeau (House Document No. 395);

Resolve in favor of Peter Harmqn of Thorndike (House Document No. 396);

Resolve in favor of Arthur C. Smith, Secretary of the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, for expenses of that Committee on a visit to the Boys' School (House Document No. 397);

Resolve in favor of W. A. Ricker, Secretary of the Committee on Education (House Document No. 400);

Resolve in favor of the State School for Boys (House Document No. 402);

Resolve in favor of reimbursing the town of Norridgewock for money paid out to support Eugene P. Hopkins and family (House Document No. 427);

Resolve appropriating money to reimburse the city of Old Town for the support of certain State paupers (House Document No. 428);

Resolve appropriating money to pay the town of Merrill interest upon its school fund (House Document No. 429);

Resolve in favor of the town of Shirley for support of certain State paupers (House Document No. 430);

Resolve in favor of Samuel D. Erskine, Moses Erskine, Wilbur B. Tibbetts, Elmer H. Boynton and Delbert L. Fowles (House Document No. 431);

Resolve in favor of the town of Perry for expenses upon the death of a State pauper (House Document No. 432);

Resolve in favor of Lizzie Bean for State pension (House Document No. 433);

Resolve appropriating money for the protection of trees and shrubs from the ravages of dangerous insects and diseases (House Document No. 434);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

“An Act to Incorporate the Mopang Dam and Improvement Company.”

“An Act to Extend the Time in Which the Maine Title Guarantee Company is Authorized to Commence Business.”

“An Act to Enlarge the Purposes and Powers of the Cleveland Concrete Building Block Company.”

“An Act to Amend That Part of Section Five of Chapter Eighty of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Eleven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Regular Sessions of the County Commissioners in Oxford County.”

“An Act to Repeal Chapter Three Hundred Twenty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Entitled ‘An Act to Regulate the Use of the Roads in the Town of Castine.’”

“An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Fresh Pond, in the Town of North Haven, in the County of Knox.”

“An Act Additional to Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Borrowing of Money and Pledg-

ing of Securities as Collateral Therefor by Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings."

"An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in North Branch Brook and Its Tributaries, in the County of Cumberland."

"An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Protection of Muskrats in the Town of Fryeburg, in the County of Oxford, and in the Town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland."

"An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Ward's Brook and in Ward's Pond, in the Town of Fryeburg, in Oxford County."

"An Act to Amend Section Forty-nine of Chapter Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relative to Liability for Damage Done by Loghauers."

"An Act to Amend Section Seventeen of Chapter Three Hundred Fifty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, as Amended by Chapter Ninety-four of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to an Increase in the Salary of the Judge of the Caribou Municipal Court."

"An Act to Fix the Salary of the Judge of the Belfast Municipal Court."

"An Act to Amend Section Fifteen of Chapter Three Hundred Ninety-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Twenty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relative to an Increase in the Salary of the Judge of the Millinocket Municipal Court."

"An Act Fixing the Penalty for Trespass upon Grounds of Agricultural Societies."

"An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Burnt Land Brook, a Tributary to Presque Isle Stream, and in the East Branch of Said Presque Isle Stream, in the County of Aroostook."

"An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Four Hundred Forty-four of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to an Increase in the Amount Allowed as Clerk Hire for the Municipal Court of the City of Lewiston."

"An Act for the Better Protection of Shell Fish Within the Town of Eliot, in the County of York."

"An Act to Amend Section Twenty-six of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Deposit by Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings of Collateral for Loans made Without the State."

"An Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred Nineteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Salary of the Stenographer of the Superior Court for Kennebec County."

"An Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taking of Suckers, Eels, Hornpouts and Yellow Perch with Eel Pots, Traps, Spears or Nets."

"An Act in Relation to the Improvement of Highways with a Road Machine or Similar Device After the Tenth Day of August in Any Year."

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

Was reconsidered the vote by which Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of Judges of Probate" (Senate Document No. 151) was yesterday assigned for third reading March 11, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Resolve appropriating money for the Board of Dental Examiners to purchase equipment and also to prosecute violators of the provisions of Chapter 53 of the Public Laws of 1913 (House Document No. 298),

Which was tabled February 25 pending second reading,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, was read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. BROWN of Auburn,

Bill "An Act to provide for the convenience of travelers on electric roads" (House Document No. 311),

Which was tabled February 23, pending recommittal,

Was taken from the table.

Mr. BROWN then offered House Amendment "A," which was adopted.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Amendment was then tabled for printing.

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden,

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1911, relative to the better protection of forests along railroads from fire" (Senate Document No. 134),

Which was tabled February 25 pending second reading,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, was read the second time, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Order requesting Senate to return House Resolve No. 108,
Which was tabled February 27 pending passage,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
Order requesting Senate to return House Resolve No. 110,
Which was tabled February 27 pending passage,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Bill "An Act to fix the standard weight of certain commodities" (House Document No. 323),

Which was tabled February 26 pending passage to be engrossed,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. COLCORD of Portland,

Order stipulating that no Bill or Resolve carrying an appropriation of money, should be finally passed prior to the sixteenth day of March, next,

Which was tabled February 26 pending passage,

Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for tomorrow.

On motion of Mr. FAY of Dexter,

Bill "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors" (House Document No. 328),

Which was tabled February 26 pending acceptance of report of Committee,

Came up by assignment.

Same gentleman offered House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham offered House Amendment "B."

Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland offered House Amendment "C," and, on further motion of same gentleman, all the Amendments were tabled for printing.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The Bill and Amendments were assigned for March 10.

Majority and Minority Reports from the Committee on Legal Affairs on "Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maine providing for the election on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, biennially, of Governors, Senators, Representatives, and other Officers now required to be elected on the second Monday of September, biennially,"

Which were tabled February 24 pending acceptance of either,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

These reports were re-assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve authorizing Land Agent to sell certain lands in Plantation No. 33 (House Document No. 220),

Which was tabled February 24 pending second reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Resolve was re-assigned for tomorrow.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

Ordered, That 500 copies of the Act to provide for the sale of intoxicating liquors for medicinal and manufacturing purposes and the arts, under new draft, be printed, same being now on the table.

On motion of Mr. WARD of Augusta,

Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M., tomorrow, Thursday.

C. C. HARVEY,

Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, March 4, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Boothby of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to promote the industry of horse breeding in Maine, and provide for the registration of stallions,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

Remonstrance of Emery Hall and 64 others against enactment of a law against snaring foxes in the towns of Lubec, Trescott, Whiting and Cutler,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 61 of Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 166 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to marriage and the registration of vital statistics,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to create the Anson Water District,"

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Tabled pending reference in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to create the Hartland Water District,"

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Tabled pending reference in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Petition of Wm. E. Vinal and 143 others of Thomaston, in favor of a Knox Memorial;

Petitions of the following for the same:

Koussinoc Chapter, D. A. R.;

Lois W. Potter and 69 others of Skowhegan;

Mrs. Lena Andrews and 13 others of Norway;

Laura B. Palmer and 23 others of Bath;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Report from the Committee on Claims reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve reimbursing the town of Lubec for moneys expended for the care and burial of a State pauper (Senate Document No. 219).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of Gorham P. Grant for refund of money paid in lieu of military service in the late War of the Rebellion.

Report from the Committee on Education reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 188 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to industrial courses in evening schools" (Senate Document No. 209).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 58 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the State certification of teachers of public schools" (Senate Document No. 210).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 110 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the course of study of the State Normal Schools" (Senate Document No. 208).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 29 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the number of weeks that schools shall be maintained annually" (Senate Document No. 212).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 97 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 45 of the Public Laws of 1905,

as amended by Chapter 87 of the Public Laws of 1909, as amended by Chapter 29 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 162 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the appropriation for the schooling of children in unorganized townships" (Senate Document No. 213).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve in favor of the Eastern State Normal School at Castine for the construction of a gymnasium building and for repairs and permanent improvements (Senate Document No. 133).

Report from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing through the ice in Martin Pond, sometimes called Long Pond, in The Forks Plantation, in Somerset County" (Senate Document No. 199).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in certain waters in Township Number Six, Range Two, N. B. K. P., or Forsyth Township, and in Township Number Six, Range One, N. B. K. P., or Holeb Township, in the County of Somerset" (Senate Document No. 200).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of fish, game and birds on the southerly point of Swan Island, in the town of Perkins, in the County of Sagadahoc" (Senate Document No. 202).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 48 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to hunting on Kineo Point, in Kineo, in the County of Piscataquis" (Senate Document No. 203).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve appropriating money for the installation of equipment in, purchase of specimens for, and maintenance of the Maine State Museum (Senate Document No. 201).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve for the purpose of operating the fish hatcheries and feeding stations for fish, for the protection of fish, game and birds, and for printing the report of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game.

Report from the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting the same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Trustees of Saint Joseph's Academy and College for Women" (Senate Document No. 206).

Report from the Committee on Railroads and Expresses reporting the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Quebec Extension Railway Company" (Senate Document No. 222).

Report from the Committee on Revision of the Statutes reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 123 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the reception of bribes for neglect of duty by sheriffs and other officers" (Senate Document No. 226).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 122 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the penalty for manufacturing or having in possession implements and materials for counterfeiting" (Senate Document No. 227).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 16 of Chapter 128 of the Revised Statutes, relating to injuries to fruit gardens" (Senate Document No. 228).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 77 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings if husband or wife refuses to release interest in real estate" (Senate Document No. 224).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 104 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to insane criminals" (Senate Document No. 225).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act relating to the payment of salaries of Judges of Probate" (Senate Document No. 223).

Report from the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls reporting the same on Resolve in favor of the State School for Boys at South Portland for general maintenance (Senate Document No. 229).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve in favor of the State School for Boys at South Portland for permanent improvements and insurance (Senate Document No. 230).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve for the permanent improvement of buildings and for increasing the water supply at the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell (Senate Document No. 231).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve for general maintenance of the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell (Senate Document No. 232).

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice and Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Majority report from the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve to provide for the construction and equipment of a central school building at the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell (Senate Document No. 214).

(Signed) Messrs. Allen
Clark
Smith
Meador
Tuttle
Peabbles
Murphy
Morrison

Minority report from the same Committee on same Resolve, reporting "ought not to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. Greeley
Bernier

Upon motion of Mr. TUTTLE of Caribou,

Both Reports were tabled pending acceptance of either Majority or Minority Report, and especially assigned for March 9.

Report from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 2 of the Public Laws of 1911, providing for a close time on scallops" (Senate Document No. 207).

Report from the Committee on Towns reporting same on Bill "An Act to set off a part of the town of Centerville and annex the same to the town of Northfield" (Senate Document No. 233).

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Great, Long, East, North, Ellis, McGraw and Snow Ponds, in Kennebec and Somerset," reporting that the same be placed on file, as the subject matter has been incorporated in another Bill, to be reported by this Committee.

Report from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of black bass in Sebago Lake," reporting that the same be placed on file, as the subject matter has been incorporated in another Bill to be reported by this Committee.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Report from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of repairing the highway from Stratton Village in the town of Eustis to Bigelow Station, all in the County of Franklin.

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve in favor of rebuilding Cape Rosier Bridge over Goose Falls in the town of Brooksville.

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve appropriating money for rebuilding the bridge across the Sheepscot River between the towns of Alna and Newcastle.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Report from the Committee on Library reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act in favor of an appropriation to restore the early records in the office of the Clerk of Courts for York County," with amendment,

Which was accepted in the House February 25 and sent to the Senate for concurrence, returned from the Senate recommended in non-concurrence to the Committee on Library.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
House reconsidered the vote whereby this Act was passed to be engrossed. On further motion of same gentleman,
House adopted Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

On further motion of same gentleman,
House adopted Senate Amendment "B" in concurrence.

On further motion of same gentleman,
House adopted Senate Amendment "C" in concurrence.

Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendments "A," "B" and "C," in concurrence.

Resolutions of Medomak Valley Grange, representing 130 members, in favor of distribution of State school funds, according to aggregate attendance;

Resolutions of the following Granges, with their respective membership, for the same purpose:

Evening Star Grange, 174; Natural Bridge Grange, 103; Dromore Grange, 60; Chesterville Grange, 128; Granite Grange, 122; Seven Tree Grange, 180; Nobleboro Grange, 146; North Penobscot Pomona Grange, 600; Wells Grange, 85; Frost

Mountain Grange, 72; Perry Grange, 177; Atkinson Corner Grange, 69; Benton Grange, 184; South Montville Grange, 102; Harvest Home Grange, 107; Lebanon Grange, 100; Brooklin Grange, 69; Westport Grange, 46; Turner Grange, 525; Warren Grange, 62; Orchard Grange, 73; Industry Grange, 84; Bauneg Beg Grange, 236; Good Will Grange, 84; Mousam Lake Grange, 50; Quamphegan Grange, 123;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Resolutions of Industry Grange, representing a membership of 84, favoring equal suffrage for women;

Resolutions of the following Granges with their respective membership, in favor of same:

Wells Grange, 85; Quamphegan Grange, 123; Mousam Lake Grange, 50; Union Grange, 160; Medomak Valley Grange, 130; Evening Star Grange, 174; Brooklin Grange, 69; South Montville Grange, 102; Chesterville Grange, 128; North Penobscot Pomona Grange, 600; Benton Grange, 184; Dromore Grange, 60; Nobleboro Grange, 146; Atkinson Corner Grange, 69; Harvest Home Grange, 107; Seaside Grange, 98; Turner Grange, 525; Warren Grange, 62; Perry Grange, 177;

Were read and ordered placed on file.

Petition of A. M. Jones and 12 others, residents of Eustis and vicinity, asking for additional restrictions upon fishing in Stratton Brook and its tributaries in Franklin County,

Was referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Resolutions of Warren Grange, representing a membership of 62, favoring an Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones;

Resolutions of the following Granges, with their respective membership, in favor of the same:

Good Will Grange, 84; Dromore Grange, 60; Industry Grange, 84; Brooklin Grange, 69; Westport Grange, 46; Chesterville Grange, 128; South Montville Grange, 102; Harvest Home Grange, 107; Granite Grange, 122; Quamphegan

Grange, 123; Benton Grange, 184; Mousam Lake Grange, 50; Wells Grange, 85; Perry Grange, 177; Atkinson Corner Grange, 69; Bauneg Beg Grange, 236;

Remonstrance of Jason Littlefield and 25 other residents of Bangor against the passage of House Bill 144; also remonstrances of the following against the same:

W. M. Currier and 22 others of Bangor;

Nettie M. Howard and 20 others;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Remonstrance of F. W. Thurlow and 20 others against any change in our laws relating to the catching of herring, especially the Bill allowing use of seines within 1000 feet of a fish weir; also remonstrance of C. M. Davis and 50 others against same.

Was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act relating to scaling round timber and marking the contents on same."

Bill "An Act to provide for the systematic maintenance of the principal thoroughfare in each municipality in the State."

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. PETERSON from the Committee on Agriculture reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide for conducting scientific investigations bearing upon the agriculture of Aroostook County."

Mr. PETERSON from the Committee on Agriculture reported "ought to pass" on Resolve for the completion of the purchase of the farm and erection of buildings thereon of the farm purchased under the provisions of Chapter 190 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, for the purpose of scientific investigations in agriculture in Aroostook County.

Mr. HIGGINS from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported the same on Resolve in favor of the State Board of Charities and Corrections for the years

1915 and 1916, in lieu of the sum provided by Chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Mr. FORD from the Committee on Salaries and Fees reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 325 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, fixing the salary of the Recorder of the Municipal Court of Waterville."

Mr. WELCH from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 233 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court in the town of Livermore."

Mr. GOLDTHWAIT from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 44 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 113 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to taking smelts in tide waters."

Mr. MULLIGAN from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 21 and 22 of Chapter 123 of the Revised Statutes, relating to obstructing officers in the discharge of their duties."

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. GOLDTHWAIT from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 4 of the Private and Special Laws of the year 1913, relating to the taking of smelts in the waters of Egypt Bay, Franklin Bay, Taunton Bay and River, and their tributaries in the towns of Hancock, Franklin and Sullivan, in the County of Hancock," reported the same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 4 of the Private and Special Laws of the year 1913, relating to the taking of smelts in the waters of Egypt Bay, Franklin Bay, Taunton Bay and River and their tributaries in the towns of Hancock, Franklin and Sullivan, in the County of Hancock," and that it ought to pass.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Gouldsboro,

Voted to indefinitely postpone the acceptance of the report.

Mr. RICKER of Castine,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the acceptance of the report was indefinitely postponed. The motion was lost.

Mr. SMALL from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the protection of smelts along the coast of Maine from Casco Bay to Penobscot Bay," reported the same in a new draft, under the title of Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act relating to the protection of smelts along the coast of Maine from Casco Bay to Penobscot Bay,'" and that it ought to pass.

Mr. WHEELER from the Committee on Towns reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 203 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the preservation of town records of births, marriages and deaths previous to the year 1892."

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. RICKER from the Committee on Education reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to repeal an Act to grant powers to School District No. 3, in town of Springfield, and all Acts amendatory thereto."

Mr. THIBODEAU from the Committee on Library, on Order of the Legislature to inquire into the cost of restacking and increasing the capacity of the State Library, reported that legislation thereon is inexpedient at this time.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Mr. TURNER from the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey whatever interest the State has in and to a certain island in the South Bay in Eastern Grand Lake, in Washington County.

On motion of Mr. JORDAN of Baileyville,
The report was tabled pending acceptance.

Resolve in favor of Alonzo J. Nevers (House Document No. 461),

Was read once, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act providing for pensions of employees of the city of Bangor" (House Document No. 462),

Was read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Resolve providing a State pension for Eliza E. Philbrook (House Document No. 463);

Resolve providing a State pension for Clarence M. Smith (House Document No. 464);

Resolve in favor of Lucy A. Owens (House Document No. 465);

Resolve in favor of Mary Allen (House Document No. 466);

Were read once, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 44 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Section 3 of Chapter 116 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to local sealers of weights and measures" (House Document No. 467);

Bill "An Act to consolidate Sections 14 and 38 of Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the penalty for unlawful use of containers marked with registered devices, and to amend Section 39 of said Chapter, relating to search warrants therefor" (House Document No. 468);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 44 of the Revised Statutes, providing a penalty for neglect of duty by local sealers of weights and measures" (House Document No. 469);

Were read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Salisbury Cove Water Company" (Senate Document No. 177);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Maine Fire Insurance Company" (Senate Document No. 183);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 73 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the investment of Sinking Funds established by any city or town" (Senate Document No. 189);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 38 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to jurisdiction of the Probate Courts" (Senate Document No. 190);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 145 of the Public Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act to insure publicity with respect to the demands upon the State and to facilitate the Legislative Committees in dealing with questions of appropriation' (Senate Document No. 191);

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 27 of Section 1 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the compensation of the subordinate officers of the Maine State Prison, as amended by Chapter 54 of the Public Laws of 1907 and Chapters 197 and 205 of the Public Laws of 1909" (Senate Document No. 192);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading; their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell, to provide for the payment of interest on trust funds deposited in the State Treasury (Senate Document No. 176);

Resolve appropriating money for retracing and defining the lines around the reserved or school lands of Plantations and Townships (Senate Document No. 193);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge across Kenduskeag Stream in the Town of Corinth;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the New Kenduskeag Road in the Town of Glenburn, and Providing for Its Future Maintenance;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge across Mattagoodus Stream in the Plantation of Webster in Penobscot County;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Rebuilding a Road through Lowell's Woods, in the Town of Trescott;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Machiasport and East Machias Bridge;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in the Repair and Maintenance of the Gardiner and Randolph Bridge;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid the Town of Forest City in Repairing and Reconstructing a Bridge;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The foregoing Resolves were tabled pending final passage, and Tuesday assigned for their consideration.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Reimburse Herbert W. Stevens for Money Expended while Chief Fire Warden, in Extinguishing a Fire;

Resolve in Favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for the Completion of the Partially Constructed Dormitory;

Resolve in Favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for Furnishings for the New Dormitory;

Resolve in Favor of the Farmington State Normal School for the Construction and Equipment of a Suitable Building for the Household Arts Department;

Resolve in Favor of the Farmington State Normal School for Completing the Furnishings of the New Dormitory;

Resolve in Favor of the Aroostook State Normal School at Presque Isle for Repairs;

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purchase of Traveling Libraries Suitable for High Schools in Towns Having No Public Libraries;

Resolve Providing for the Purchase of One Hundred and Twenty-five Copies of the History of Buckfield;

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purchase of the Maine State Year Book for the Years Nineteen Hundred Fifteen and Nineteen Hundred Sixteen;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Maintain the State Forest Nursery and to Encourage the Reforesting of the Waste Lands of Maine;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Provide for Further Public Instruction in Forestry;

Resolve in Favor of the Farmington State Normal School for the Purchase of Certain Land;

Resolve in Favor of the Washington State Normal School at Machias for Completing and Furnishing the Partially Constructed Dormitory;

Resolve in Favor of the Washington State Normal School at Machias for the Removing and Remodeling of the O'Brien House;

Resolve in Favor of the Farmington State Normal School for General Repairs and Permanent Improvements;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Michel B. Daly;

Resolve in Favor of Edgar S. Fossett, Secretary of the Committee on State Prison, for Certain Committee Expenses;

Resolve in Favor of the Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Messenger, Assistant Messenger, Mail Carrier, First Folder, Assistant Folder, Doorkeeper, and Pages of the Seventy-sixth Legislature for Attendance at the Organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature;

Resolve in Favor of Leonard A. Pierce, Chairman of the House Committee on Elections, for Certain Committee Expenses;

Resolve in Favor of Frank Francis, Representative of the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians;

Resolve in Favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for the Purchase and Installation of Equipment for the Industrial Department;

Resolve Memorializing Congress in the Interest of Universal Peace;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Resolve, Making Appropriations for the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians for the Years Nineteen Hundred Fifteen and Nineteen Hundred Sixteen;

Resolve in Favor of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians for the General Care, Maintenance, Relief and Education Thereof;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, and, having each received an affirmative vote of 119 members of the House, the same were finally passed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

Was reconsidered the vote by which Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of Judges of Probate" (Senate Document No. 151), was passed to be engrossed.

On motion of same gentleman,
House adopted Senate Amendment "A."

On further motion of same gentleman,
House adopted Senate Amendment "B."

On further motion of same gentleman,
House adopted Senate Amendment "C."

On further motion of same gentleman, passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendments "A," "B" and "C." It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Resolve in favor of aid in rebuilding highway in Concord (House Document No. 364),
Which was tabled March 2, pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of Mr. WELCH of Machiasport,
Resolve in favor of repairing the main highway leading from Franklin to Cherryfield (House Document No. 365),
Which was tabled February 27, pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Resolve in favor of appropriation to repair Mopang Bridge in Township No. 30, M. D., Washington County (Senate Document No. 161),
Which was tabled February 27, pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of same gentleman,
Bill "An Act to equalize salaries of County Commissioners". (Senate Document No. 146),
Which was tabled February 27, pending concurrence with Senate in acceptance of report,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of same gentleman,
Resolve in favor of appropriation to repair the bridges in Township No. 29, M D., Washington County (Senate Document No. 162),
Which was tabled February 27, pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of same gentleman,
Resolve in favor of appropriation to reimburse town of Deblois (Senate Document No. 163),
Which was tabled February 27, pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Resolve in favor of repairing highway in Solon (House Document No. 321),

Which was tabled February 26, pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Resolve in favor of Aroostook River Bridge (House Document No. 320),

Which was tabled February 26, pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of same gentleman,
Resolve in favor of road around Cook Hill in Jackson (House Document No. 319),

Which was tabled February 26, pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Resolve in favor of bridge across Carrabasset River (House Document No. 317),

Which was tabled February 26, pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Resolve in favor of highway in Greenwood and Woodstock (House Document No. 309),

Which was tabled February 26 pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of Mr. COLCORD of Portland,
Order, stipulating that no Bill or Resolve carrying an appropriation of money, should be finally passed prior to the sixteenth day of March, next,

Which was tabled March 3 pending passage,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Resolve appropriating money for reconstruction of Lord Bridge in Frankfort,

Which was tabled February 25 pending final passage,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of same gentleman,
 Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing highway in
 Otisfield,
 Which was tabled February 25 pending final passage,
 Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of same gentleman,
 Resolve appropriating money to aid in construction of bridge
 across Sebec River in Milo,
 Which was tabled February 25 pending final passage,
 Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of same gentleman,
 Resolve appropriating money to aid in reconstruction of
 bridge in Montville,
 Which was tabled February 25 pending final passage,
 Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 9.

On motion of Mr. WASHBURN of Perry,
 Bill "An Act to provide for a closed time on bull moose"
 (House Document No. 302),

Which was tabled February 25 pending acceptance of report
 of Committee,
 Was taken from the table.

The same gentleman moved an indefinite postponement of
 the Bill, and requested that the vote be taken by yeas and nays,
 which the House ordered.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Fay	McCurdy
Allen	Gould	McIntire
Besse	Grant	Mulligan
Bradbury	Greeley	Nicholas
Brawn	Greenlaw	Perham
Brown (Auburn)	Hart	Ranney
Bussey	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Roberts
Clement	Holt (Skowhegan)	Russell (Lewiston)
Clifford	Jordan	St. Clair (Rockland)
Currier	Libby	St. Clair (Calais)
Descoteaux	Lombard	Small
Evans	McCorrison	Tate

Tobey	Washburn	Welch
Tuttle	Waterhouse	Wescott—44
Varney	Webb	

Those who voted “nay” were: Messrs.

Ames	Ellis	Morse
Ballard	Erskine	Mullin
Beal	Ford	Neilon
Benn	Gallagher	Noyes
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Gerrish	O'Connell
Blake (Oakland)	Gilmour	Peabbles
Bonney	Goldthwait	Perkins
Bourque	Gooding	Picher
Bragdon	Goodwin	Pierce (Houlton)
Brann	Greaton	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Erown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Greenleaf	Plummer
Campbell	Hanson (Saco)	Pollard
Carson	Haraden	Ricker
Chadbourne	Harper	Russell (Alfred)
Chaplin	Haskell	Ryder
Chamberlin	Higgins	Snow
Cobb	Hill	Tabbutt
Coffin	Hobbs	Thombs
Colcord	Hodgkins	Towle
Connellan	Jameson	Trafton
Conners	Lewis	Turner
Corliss	Littlefield	Ward
Danforth	Lord	Wasgatt
Davis	Mansir	Watts
Dilling	Maxwell	Wheeler
Douglass	McCarty	Wilkins
Drapeau	McKinley	Wilson
Drummond	Meador	Wise
Durgain	Michaud	Woodman
Dutton	Mitchell	Wyman—92
Edwards	Morrison	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Averill	Leader	Robinson
Bernier	McNally	Sanborn
Fossett	Millett	Smith—13
Hanson (Sanford)	Newell	
Lawrence	Peterson	

Those who were paired were: Messrs.

Daigle, yes	Thibodeau, no
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Hence the motion to indefinitely postpone the Bill was lost.

The Bill was read the second time, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Majority and Minority Report from the Committee on Legal Affairs on "Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maine providing for the election on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, biennially, of Governors, Senators, Representatives, and other Officers now required to be elected on the second Monday of September, biennially,"

Which was tabled March 3 pending acceptance of either report,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer moved the acceptance of the Minority Report, and on motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln, the vote was ordered taken by yeas and nays.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Chamberlin	Ford
Allen	Clement	Could
Ames	Cobb	Grant
Beal	Coffin	Greaton
Benn	Danforth	Greenlaw
Besse	Dilling	Hanson (Saco)
Bradbury	Drummond	Harper
Bragdon	Durgain	Hart
Brann	Dutton	Higgins
Bussey	Ellis	Jordan
Carson	Evans	Littlefield
Chaplin	Fay	Lombard

Mansir	Ricker	Towle
McKinley	Russell (Alfred)	Tuttle
Meador	Ryder	Varney
Mitchell	St. Clair (Calais)	Washburn
Morrison	St. Clair (Rockland)	Waterhouse
Morse	Sanborn	Wescott
Nicholas	Snow	Wise—63
O'Connell	Thombs	
Ranney	Tobey	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Goodwin	Perkins
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Greeley	Picher
Bonney	Greenleaf	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Bourque	Haskell	Pierce (Houlton)
Brawn	Hill	Plummer
Brown (Auburn)	Hobbs	Pollard
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Hodgkins	Roberts
Campbell	Holt (Skowhegan)	Russell (Lewiston)
Chadbourne	Jameson	Small
Clifford	Lewis	Smith
Colcord	Libby	Tabbutt
Connellan	Lord	Tate
Conners	Maxwell	Trafton
Corliss	McCarty	Turner
Currier	McCorrison	Ward
Davis	McCurdy	Wescott
Descoteaux	McIntire	Watts
Douglass	Michaud	Webb
Drapeau	Millett	Welch
Edwards	Mulligan	Wheeler
Fossett	Mullin	Wilkins
Gallagher	Neilon	Wilson
Gerrish	Newell	Woodman
Gilmour	Noyes	Wyman—76
Goldthwait	Peabbles	
Gooding	Perham	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Averill	Haraden	Peterson
Bernier	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Robinson—10
Erskine	Leader	
Hanson (Sanford)	McNally	

Those who were paired were: Messrs.

Daigle, yes Thibodeau, no

Hence the motion to accept the Minority Report was lost.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Majority Report was accepted, and the accompanying Bill ordered printed under joint rules, and Tuesday, March 9, assigned for its consideration.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Report "A" and Report "B" from the Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of the year 1913, entitled 'An Act to provide for nomination of candidates of political parties by primary elections,' and amendments thereto" (Senate Document No. 34),

Which was tabled March 3 pending acceptance of either report,

Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 5.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Resolve authorizing Land Agent to sell certain lands in Plantation No. 33 (House Document No. 220),

Which was tabled March 3, pending second reading,

Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for March 10.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

Bill "An Act to extend charter of Lincoln Light and Power Company" (House Document No. 385),

Which was tabled March 2 pending third reading,

Was taken from the table, and, on motion of same gentleman,

Was read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls,
Resolve in favor of aid in building a bridge in the town of
Crystal (House Document No. 318),
Which was tabled February 25 pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for Tuesday,
March 9.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Friday.

FORTUNAT BELLEAU,
Clerk pro tem.

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, March 5, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Dow of Gardiner.

The following communication was read by the Speaker:

AUGUSTA, MAINE, March 4, 1915.

Hon. Herbert W. Trafton,
Speaker House of Representatives,
City.

Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of Rule Three of the House Rules I
hereby appoint Gardner K. Heath of Augusta to act as my
assistant during the term of my service as Clerk, pro-tempore,
of the House.

Respectfully yours,
FORTUNAT BELLEAU,
Clerk, pro tem.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Revised Statutes, relating to fishing in Jackson Pond, in the town of Concord, in the County of Somerset,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Remonstrance of B. C. Redomett and 33 others of Lincoln County against any change in ballot law;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 5 of the Revised Statutes, relating to registration of voters;"

Bill "An Act for the prevention of the improper use of society badges;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 39 of Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the illegal transportation of intoxicating liquors,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to provide for the permanent improvement of land within the limit of any highway or townway adjoining any land not known as wild land;"

Bill "An Act authorizing municipal officers of towns to obtain road materials;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Report from the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 489 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, entitled 'An Act to supply the town of Lubec with pure water'" (Senate Document No. 205).

Report from the Committee on Revision of the Statutes reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter

65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings of Judges of Probate in vacation" (Senate Document No. 237).

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, on State Auditor's Report for the years 1913 and 1914, reporting that same be placed on file (Senate Document No. 71).

Report from the Aroostook Delegation reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to enable the County of Aroostook to aid in the construction of the Quebec Extension Railway Company."

Report from the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Southport to own and maintain an Electric Lighting and Power Plant."

Report from the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation reporting the same on Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey whatever interest the State has in and to a certain island, known as Mink Island, in East Blue Hill Bay, in the County of Hancock.

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to convey the State's interests in a certain island.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey whatever interest the State has in and to Potato Island, situated in Harrington, Washington County.

On motion of Mr. WASHBURN of Perry,

Voted to recommit the Bill to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation in non-concurrence.

Report from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting same on Resolve in favor of replanking and repainting bridge between East Millinocket and Medway.

On motion of Mr. DOUGLASS of Webster,
Voted to recede, and to recommit the Resolve to the Committee on Ways and Bridges in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to provide for professional supervision of schools of remotely situated plantations;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 73 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the examination of pupils entering school after absence on account of sickness;"

Resolutions of Woodland Grange, representing 81 members, in favor of distribution of State school funds according to aggregate attendance;

Resolutions of the following Granges, with their respective membership, in favor of the same:

Ashland Grange, 204; Green Ridge Grange, 173; Eureka Grange, 200;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Resolutions of Woodland Grange, representing a membership of 81, favoring equal suffrage for women;

Resolutions of the following Granges, with their respective membership, favoring the same:

Ashland Grange, 204; Green Ridge Grange, 173; Eureka Grange, 200;

Were accepted and placed on file.

Remonstrance of W. F. Weshe and 17 others against the passage of any Bill relative to a resident hunter's license,

Was referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to regulate partnerships;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 47 of the Revised Statutes, relating to corporations;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 101 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the Bangor Municipal Court;"

Resolve in favor of conference of Commissioners and of the Commissioners from Maine for the promotion of uniformity of legislation in the United States;

Resolutions of Ashland Grange, representing a membership of 204, favoring an Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones;

Resolutions of the following Granges, with their respective membership, in favor of same:

Green Ridge Grange, 173; Eureka Grange, 200; Woodland Grange, 81; Glenwood Valley Grange, 43; Union Grange, 160; Evening Star Grange, 174; North Penobscot Pomona Grange, 600; Nobleboro Grange, 146; Frost Mountain Grange, 72; Medomak Valley Grange, 130;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act relating to the accounts of the various State examining boards and to provide for the bonding of all officials and clerks who handle public moneys,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to regulate cold storage of certain articles of food,"

Was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Bill "An Act to regulate the time for moving freight on railroads,"

Was referred to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Bill "An Act to provide for the record in the Registry of Deeds of notices waiving testamentary provisions for husband or wife;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 1 of Public Laws of 1907, providing for notice to Registers of Probate of names of corporate surety companies qualified to do business in the State;"

Bill "An Act to provide for the binding of original papers filed in Probate Courts;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 13 of Chapter 67 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the returns of commissioners of partition appointed by Probate Courts;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 69 of the Revised Statutes, relating to petitions for the adoption of children;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to transcripts of examinations of testimony taken in the Probate Courts;"

Bill "An Act to confer jurisdiction in equity upon Probate Courts;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proofs of wills;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 73 of the Revised Statutes, relating to notices upon petitions for sale of real estate;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of bail commissioners;"

Were referred to the Committee on Revision of the Statutes.

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 1 of Chapter 213 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the appointment of road commissioner;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, to provide for a more equitable distribution of funds for State aid roads;"

Were referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Bill "An Act relating to scaling of round timber and marking contents on same,"

Was referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Bill "An Act to provide for a systematic maintenance of the principal thoroughfare of each municipality in the State,"

Was referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. ST. CLAIR from the Committee on Counties, on Bill "An Act in relation to the collecting and preserving of plans," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. EDWARDS from the Committee on Interior Waters reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in aid of navigation on Sebec Lake.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in aid of navigation on Rangeley Lake, Mooselucmeguntic Lake and Cupsuptic Lake.

Mr. WEBB from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to enable the Newcastle Lumber Company to erect and maintain piers and booms in Big Wood Pond, in Somerset County."

Mr. WHEELER from the Committee on Towns reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 203 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the preservation of town records of births, marriages and deaths previous to the year 1892."

Mr. THOMBS from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported the same on Bill "An Act to make valid the annual town meetings of the town of Robbinston."

Mr. GREENLEAF from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act and petition to enlarge the powers of the Portland Female Charitable Society."

Mr. CLIFFORD from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 30 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 107 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, authorizing the Wiscasset,

Waterville and Farmington Railway Company to dispose of a part of the property of said Company."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to incorporate Winthrop Spring Water Company," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to incorporate Winthrop Water Company," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. PERKINS from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to create a Board of Examination and Registration of Nurses," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Report from the Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act to require certain vehicles to carry lights at night on public highways and bridges," reporting "ought to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. Hill
Greenleaf
Clifford
Thombs
Hanson
Lewis

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. HILL from the same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to regulate the practice of chiropody."

Mr. DAVIS from the Committee on Interior Waters, on Resolve in aid of navigation on Sebec Lake, reported that the same ought not to pass, being covered by House Resolve under same title.

The reports were accepted.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1911, relative to the better protection of forests along railroads from fire" (Senate Document No. 134);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing through the ice in Martin Pond, sometimes called Long Pond, in The Forks Plantation, in Somerset County" (Senate Document No. 199) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in certain waters in Township Number Six, Range 2, N. B. K. P., or Forsyth Township, and in Township Number Six, Range One, N. B. K. P., or Holeb Township, in the County of Somerset" (Senate Document No. 200) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of fish, game and birds on the southerly point of Swan Island, in the town of Perkins, in the County of Sagadahoc" (Senate Document No. 202) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 48 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to hunting on Kineo Point, in Kineo, in the County of Piscataquis" (Senate Document No. 203) ;

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Trustees of Saint Joseph's Academy and College for Women" (Senate Document No. 206) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 2 of the Public Laws of 1911, providing for a close time on scallops" (Senate Document No. 207) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 110 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the course of study in the State Normal Schools" (Senate Document No. 208) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 97 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 45 of the Public Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 87 of the Public Laws of 1909, as amended by Chapter 29 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 162 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the appropriation for the schooling of children in unorganized townships" (Senate Document No. 213) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 77 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings if husband or wife refuses to release interest in real estate" (Senate Document No. 224);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 104 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to insane criminals" (Senate Document No. 225);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 123 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the reception of bribes for neglect of duty by sheriffs and other officers" (Senate Document No. 226);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 122 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the penalty for manufacturing or having in possession implements and materials for counterfeiting" (Senate Document No. 227);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 16 of Chapter 128 of the Revised Statutes, relating to injuries to fruit gardens" (Senate Document No. 228);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 108 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to Industrial Courses in Evening Schools" (Senate Document No. 209);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 58 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the state certification of teachers of public schools" (Senate Document No. 210);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 29 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the number of weeks that schools shall be maintained annually" (Senate Document No. 212);

Bill "An Act to extend and amend the charter of the Fairfield and Skowhegan Railway Company" (Senate Document No. 220);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Farmington and Augusta Railway Company" (Senate Document No. 221);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Quebec Extension Railway Company" (Senate Document No. 222);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to the payment of salaries of judges of probate" (Senate Document No. 223),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending third reading.

Resolve for the permanent improvement of buildings and for increasing the water supply at the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell (Senate Document No. 231);

Bill "An Act to set off a part of the town of Centerville and annex the same to the town of Northfield" (Senate Document No. 233);

Resolve in favor of Eastern State Normal School at Castine for the construction of a gymnasium building, and for repairs and permanent improvements (Senate Document No. 133);

Resolve appropriating money for the installation of equipment in, purchases of specimens for and the maintenance of the Maine State Museum (Senate Document No. 201);

Resolve for the purpose of operating the fish hatcheries and feeding stations for fish, for the protection of fish, game and birds, and for printing the reports of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game (Senate Document No. 204);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Gorham P. Grant for the refund of money paid in lieu of military service in the late War of the Rebellion (Senate Document No. 218),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The Resolve was then tabled pending second reading.

Resolve reimbursing the town of Lubec for moneys expended for the care and burial of a State pauper (Senate Document No. 219);

Resolve in favor of the State School for Boys at South Portland for general maintenance (Senate Document No. 229);

Resolve in favor of State School for Boys for permanent improvements and insurance (Senate Document No. 230);

Resolve for general maintenance of the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell (Senate Document No. 232);

Bill "An Act to provide for a closed season on the bull moose" (House Document No. 302);

Bill "An Act providing for pensions for employees of the city of Bangor" (House Document No. 462);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 44 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Section 3 of Chapter 116 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to local sealers of weights and measures" (House Document No. 467);

Bill "An Act to consolidate Sections 14, 38, of Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the penalty for unlawful use of containers marked with registered devices, and to amend Section 39 of said Chapter, relating to search warrants therefor" (House Document No. 468);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 44 of the Revised Statutes, providing a penalty for neglect of duty by local sealers of weights and measures" (House Document No. 469);

Resolve in favor of State pension of Alonzo J. Nevers (House Document No. 461);

Resolve providing a State pension for Eliza E. Philbrook (House Document No. 463);

Resolve providing a State pension for Clarence M. Smith (House Document No. 464);

Resolve providing a State pension for Lucy A. Owens (House Document No. 465);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of a State pension for Mary Allen (House Document No. 466),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. SMALL of Mount Desert,
House Amendment "A" was adopted, and, on further motion of same gentleman,

The Resolve was then read the second time, passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A," and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-three of Chapter Sixty-six of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Duties of Executors and Administrators;

An Act to Repeal Section Twenty-four and Amend Section Twenty-five of Chapter Three of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Thirty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Relating to the Printing of the Reports of the State Departments;

An Act to Amend Section Forty-seven of Chapter Two of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Notification of Appointment and Qualification of Justices of the Peace, Trial Justices, and Notaries Public;

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-four of Chapter Two of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Bond of the Treasurer of State;

An Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred and Seventy-four of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Eighty-seven, as Amended by Chapter Three Hundred and

Sixty of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-seven, Relating to Salary of the Recorder of the Municipal Court of the City of Portland;

An Act to Amend Paragraph Two of Section Thirteen of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter Eighty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine and as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred Seventy-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relative to the Taxation of Personal Property Owned Outside of the State;

An Act to Amend Section Three of Chapter One Hundred Fifty of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-one, as Amended by Section One of Chapter Five Hundred Fifteen of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-seven, Relating to the Salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of Portland;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Elias Lyon;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Hannah M. Condon;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Annie L. Durham;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Sarah A. Robinson;

Resolve in Favor of Frank P. Washburn, Secretary of the Committee on Indian Affairs, to Defray Expenses of Said Committee in Visiting the Reservation at Pleasant Point and Old Town;

Resolve in Favor of the Assistant Folder and Page of the Seventy-sixth Legislature for Attendance at the Organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature;

Resolve for Further Improvement in the Method of Marketing the Farm Products and Purchasing Supplies for the Farm;

Resolve Making an Appropriation for Co-operative Agricultural Work Between the College of Agriculture of the University of Maine, and the United States Department of Agriculture;

Resolve in Aid of Navigation on Moosehead Lake;

Resolve Providing for the Payment of State Pensions;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Promote Seed and Crop Improvement in Maine;

Resolve Assenting to the Provision of An Act of the Congress of the United States, Approved May Eighth, Nineteen Hundred Fourteen, Entitled "An Act to Provide for Co-operative Agricultural Extension Work between the Agricultural Colleges in the Several States Receiving the Benefits of the Act of Congress, Approved July 2, 1862, and of Acts Supplementary Thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture;"

Resolve Memorializing Congress Relative to the Retirement and Pensioning of Civil Service Employees;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

With the unanimous consent of the House the Speaker placed before the House, out of order, Report A and Report B from the Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of the year 1913, entitled, 'An Act to provide for nomination of candidates of political parties by primary elections,' and amendments thereto" (Senate Document No. 34).

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer moved the acceptance of Report B, and requested that the vote be taken by yeas and nays, which was so ordered.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Bourque	Chaplin
Allen	Bragdon	Chamberlin
Ames	Brawn	Clement
Ballard	Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Cobb
Beal	Bussey	Coffin
Benn	Campbell	Connellan
Besse	Carson	Conners

Corliss	Haskell	Ricker
Currier	Higgins	Roberts
Danforth	Hobbs	Russell (Alfred)
Descoteaux	Hodgkins	Ryder
Dilling	Holt (Gouldsboro)	St. Clair (Calais)
Drapeau	Holt (Skowhegan)	St. Clair (Rockland)
Durgain	Jameson	Smith
Dutton	Jordan	Snow
Ellis	Lewis	Tabbutt
Evans	Lombard	Thombs
Fay	Lord	Tobey
Ford	Maxwell	Towle
Fossett	McIntire	Turner
Gallagher	McKinley	Tuttle
Gerrish	Michaud	Varney
Coldthwait	Mitchell	Ward
Gooding	Morrison	Wasgatt
Goodwin	Mullin	Washburn
Gould	Nicholas	Waterhouse
Grant	Noyes	Watts
Greaton	Peabbles	Welch
Greenlaw	Perham	Wescott
Greenleaf	Peterson	Wise
Haraden	Pierce (Farm'gton)	Wyman—97
Harper	Plummer	
Hart	Ranney	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Blake (New Gl'ster)	Hill	Pierce (Houlton)
Brann	Lawrence	Russell (Lewiston)
Brown (Auburn)	Libby	Sanborn
Chadbourne	Littlefield	Small
Clifford	McCurdy	Tate
Colcord	Meador	Trafton
Douglass	Millett	Wheeler
Drummond	Morse	Wilkins
Edwards	Mulligan	Wilson
Erskine	Newell	Woodman—32
Hanson (Saco)	O'Connell	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Averill	Greeley	Neilon
Bernier	Hanson (Sanford)	Perkins
Blake (Oakland)	Leader	Picher
Bradbury	Mansir	Pollard
Davis	McCorrison	Robinson
Gilmour	McNally	Webb—18

Those who were paired were: Messrs.

Bonney, yes	Daigle, yes	Thibodeau, no.
McCarty, no		

Report B, "ought not to pass," was therefore accepted.
It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Bill "An Act providing licenses for adjusters of fire losses"
(House Document No. 376),

Which was tabled March 2 pending passage to be engrossed,
Was taken from the table, and passed to be engrossed, and
sent to the Senate.

On motion of same gentleman,
Bill "An Act relating to qualifications of insurance agents"
(House Document No. 378),

Which was tabled March 2 pending third reading,
Was taken from the table, read the third time, and passed
to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. MILLETT of Belfast,
Bill "An Act relating to salaries of Registers of Probate"
(Senate Document No. 150),

Which was tabled March 3 pending first reading,
Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same
gentleman, House Amendment "A" was adopted. Bill read
twice as amended by House Amendment "A," and tomorrow
assigned for third reading.

On motion of Mr. JORDAN of Baileyville,

Report of the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preser-
vation, reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve authorizing the
Land Agent to sell and convey whatever interest the State has
in and to a certain island in South Bay, in Eastern Grand Lake,

Which was tabled March 4 pending acceptance,
Was taken from the table, and recommitted to the Committee
on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor, on
Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 77 of the
Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings if husband or wife
refuses to release interest in real estate" (Senate Document
No. 224),

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to
be engrossed, and, on further motion of the same gentleman,

House Amendment "A" was adopted, and, on further mo-
tion of same gentleman, it was passed to be engrossed as
amended by House Amendment "A," and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. DILLING of Easton,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Saturday.

FORTUNAT BELLEAU,
Clerk, pro tem.

AUGUSTA,
SATURDAY, March 6, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Hope of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 222 of the
Public Laws of 1909, relating to the licensing of dogs,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agri-
culture.

Resolve in favor of the Eastern Maine Orphans' Home for maintenance,

On motion of Mr. WELCH of Machiasport,

The Resolve was tabled pending reference in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Ordered, the House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, it be to meet at nine o'clock, in the forenoon, Tuesday, March 9, 1915.

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden,

House adopted House Amendment "A" as follows:

Motioned that the order be amended by substituting the word ten for the word nine, so that when we adjourn it be to ten A. M. Tuesday, the ninth, and the order was then passed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 80 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes of Maine as amended by Chapter 15 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to trust companies,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Resolve declaratory of certain Amendments of the Constitution of Maine,

On motion of Mr. RYDER of Brownville,

The Resolve was tabled pending reference in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Wells Beach Lighting District,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 31 of the Revised Statutes, relating to steam riding galleries;"

Bill "An Act relating to village corporations;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve relating to Documentary History of Maine,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Library.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 32 of chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to leased lines of railroad companies,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 26 of Chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the discharge of inmates of insane hospitals by municipal officers;"

Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of appraisers by the probate courts;"

Bill "An Act to repeal certain obsolete sections of Chapter 16 of Revised Statutes, relating to assessment of taxes by parishes;"

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 42 of Chapter 61 of Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of the mother to bind illegitimate children;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Revision of the Statutes.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 1, 2, 3 and 20 of Chapter 162 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the regulation of speed of motor vehicles,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Report from the Committee on Education, on Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for permanent improvements and repairs, reporting the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 125).

Report from the Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 24 of the Public Laws of 1913, in regard to attachments," reporting the same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act to amend Section 71 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 24 of the Public

Laws of 1913, in regard to release or discharge of attachments," and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 246).

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bill read twice, Resolve read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bill and second reading of Resolve.

Report from the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to establish a reformatory for women" (Senate Document No. 215).

The report was accepted in concurrence, Bill read twice, and tomorrow assigned, and, on motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, voted to reconsider the vote by which the Bill was read the second time, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was laid on the table pending the printing of Senate Amendment "A."

Report from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve appropriating money to assist the town of South Thomaston in the rebuilding of Spruce Head Bridge, in said town, reporting the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in rebuilding Spruce Head Bridge in the town of South Thomaston, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 243).

Report from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of an appropriation to repair bridge in the town of Addison, reporting the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 245).

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Resolves read once, and Tuesday next assigned for second reading.

Report from the Committee on Interior Waters, reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide for a commission to be known as the People's Rights and Power Commission of the State of Maine."

Report from the same Committee, on Resolve of S. F. Peaslee and 14 others in favor of appropriating money for the Middle Dam Carry, reporting that the same be referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Report from the Portland Delegation, reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act creating a Single Board Form of Representative Government in the city of Portland."

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Majority report from the Committee on State Prison reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the purchase of land in some suitable location and the erection thereon of buildings for a new State Prison (Senate Document No. 19).

(Signed) Messrs. Chatto
Dunton
Fulton
Ellis
Leader
Brown
Tobey
Lord

Minority report from the same Committee reporting "ought not to pass" on same Resolve.

(Signed) Messrs. Fossett
Watts

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Both reports were tabled pending acceptance of either.

Report from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries, on Bill "An Act to prohibit the fishing for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries by use of purse or drag seines," reporting the same in a new draft under title of Bill "An Act to prohibit the fishing for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries, by use of purse or drag seines within 2000 feet of any trap or weir" (House Document No. 175), and that it ought to pass.

The report was accepted in concurrence, and, on motion of Mr. JAMESON of Friendship,

Was tabled pending adoption in concurrence of Senate Amendment "A."

Bill "An Act for the relief of the blind residents of Maine" (Senate Document No. 61),

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

Was reconsidered the vote by which this Bill was passed to be enacted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls,
Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. McINTIRE of Waterford,
Senate Amendment "B" was adopted in concurrence.
On further motion of the same gentleman,

Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendments "A" and "B," and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of H. E. Nicholas, Secretary of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs,

Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 48, of the Revised Statutes, relative to banks and banking,"

Was referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Resolutions of Oxford County Pomona Grange, representing a membership of 2000, in favor of distribution of State school funds according to aggregate attendance;

Resolutions of the following Granges, with their respective membership, in favor of same:

Mountain Grange, 275; West Peru Grange, 120; Pleasant River Grange, 166; Solid Rock Grange, 102;

Were referred to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act in favor of closing up Violette Brook from Hammond's Mill up, to all kinds of fishing for two years,"

Was referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 158 of the Public Laws of

1911, relative to annual examination and verification of savings accounts;”

Petition of M. E. Haskell and five other residents of State of Maine, against the enactment of House Bill No. 144;

Petition of Alice M. Butler and 33 other residents of the State of Maine against the same;

Resolution of Oxford Pomona Grange, representing a membership of 2000, favoring “An Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs and telephones;”

Resolutions of the following Granges, with their respective membership, in favor of same:

Upton Grange, 68; West Peru Grange, 120; Solid Rock Grange, 102; Mountain Grange, 275; Pleasant River Grange, 166;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill “An Act to amend Chapter 39 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 26 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the weekly payment of wages,”

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill “An Act to provide for the care, support and maintenance of the State poor,”

Was referred to the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. HASKELL, from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported “ought to pass” on Resolve in favor of the Bath Military and Naval Orphan Asylum.

Mr. HIGGINS from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Maine School for the Deaf, reported the same in a new draft under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported “ought to pass” on Resolve authorizing the State Treasurer to procure a temporary loan for the year 1916.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve authorizing the State Treasurer to procure a temporary loan for the year 1915.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to prohibit the use of firearms upon Megunticook Lake and adjacent waters and tributaries, in Knox and Waldo Counties, and upon the shores thereof," reported the same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the use of firearms upon Megunticook Lake and adjacent waters and tributaries thereof, in Knox and Waldo Counties, and upon the shores thereof," and that it ought to pass.

Same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of John S. Doane and 27 others to extend the open season for fly fishing in the pool at Upper Dam, and in the river running from said pool to Lake Mollychunkamunk, to the first day of October in each year, also Resolve in favor of extending the open season for fly fishing in the pool at Upper Dam, and in the river running from said pool to Lake Mollychunkamunk, reported a Bill which is herewith submitted entitled "An Act to amend Section 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the pool at Upper Dam and in the river from said pool to Lake Mollychunkamunk, in the County of Oxford," and that it ought to pass.

Same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of E. F. Coburn and 18 others requesting that Rapid River, connecting the Richardson Lakes with the Umbagog Lake, be opened to fly fishing from September 15 to October 1 each year, and that pond in Rapid River be opened to bait fishing until October 1 each year, reported a Bill which is herewith submitted entitled "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206, of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Rapid River, between Lower Richardson Lake and Umbagog, and Pond in the River, in the County of Oxford," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act in amendment to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to inland fisheries and game (transportation of fish—Oxford County), reported the same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in certain waters in Oxford County," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of E. E. Hastings and 28 others, residents of Oxford County, asking for a law to further restrict fishing in Lower Kezar Pond, Oxford and Cumberland Counties, reported the same in a Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Lower Kezar Pond, in the town of Fryeburg, in Oxford County, and in the town of Bridgton, in County of Cumberland," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the Davis Ponds in Guilford and Willimantic, in the County of Piscataquis."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Bent's Pond, so called, in the town of New Sharon, Franklin County, and in the town of Vienna, Kennebec County," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. CAMPBELL from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Millinocket to own and maintain an electric lighting and power plant."

Mr. LEWIS from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 20

of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act Authorizing the town of Caribou to accept a certain legacy.'"

Mr. GREENLEAF from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the People's Ferry Company."

Mr. HILL from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Bluehill Water Company."

Mr. GREENLEAF from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to extend the time in which the Farmington-Oakland Railway shall actually commence business."

Mr. HILL from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Corinna Water Company."

Mr. THOMBS from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Brewer Water Company, as amended by Chapter 170 of the Public Laws of 1913."

Mr. LEWIS from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Bowdoinham Water and Electric Company."

Mr. CLIFFORD from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Washburn Water Company."

Mr. GREENLEAF from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Casco Bay Water Company."

Mr. CLIFFORD from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Livermore and Augusta Railway Company."

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions reported same on Resolve in favor of George F. Phillips for State pension.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Frederick Brown.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of George N. Holland of Hampden.

Same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Harry J. Bean, of Augusta, Kennebec County, Maine, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Jesse Batchelder, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. GREENLEAF from the Portland Delegation, on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 121 of the Private Laws of 1911, relating to Board of Overseers of the Poor of the City of Portland," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. MICHAUD from the Committee on Public Health, on Resolve providing for a laboratory building for the State Board of Health, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act making it unlawful for persons to falsely represent themselves as deaf, dumb, blind, crippled or otherwise defective."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Resolve providing for an epidemic or emergency fund.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to authorize the removal of bodies of deceased persons from the Guilford Cemetery."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to prevent milk-borne outbreaks of infectious diseases."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 211 of the Public Laws of 1913, regulating the sale of morphine and other hypnotic or narcotic drugs."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported

the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 23 of Chapter 18 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 26 of the Public Laws of 1907, and Chapter 40 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the State Laboratory of Hygiene."

Mr. GREENLEAF from Committee on Revision of the Statutes reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 84 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings on demurrers."

Mr. THOMBS from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act relating to fees by clerks of courts in naturalization proceedings."

Mr. GREENLEAF from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 69 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the duration of attachments."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 186 of the Public Laws of 1907, and by Chapter 22 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the presentation of claims against estates."

Mr. McCARTY from same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to punish escapes from jail."

The same gentleman from same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act relating to the payment of legacies."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 19 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to obstruction of the drainage of public ways."

Mr. CLIFFORD from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 89 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 184 of the Public Laws of 1907, Chapter 94 of the Public Laws of 1909, and Chapter 46 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the choice of assessors of taxes."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported

same on Bill "An Act relating to crossings of rights of way of railroads organized under Chapter 53 of the Revised Statutes."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 63 of the Public Laws of 1907, providing for filing lists of heirs in the registry of deeds."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 47 of the Revised Statutes, relating to returns of lists of stockholders in banks to Secretary of State."

Mr. JAMESON from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reported the same on Bill "An Act to repeal Special Law of 1895, Chapter 288, entitled 'An Act relating to the use of purse and drag seines in the Georges River.'"

Mr. SMALL from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in certain waters of Hancock County."

Mr. GOLDTHWAIT from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 380 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the taking of lobsters and setting lobster traps in the waters of Gouldsboro and other towns."

Mr. MULLIGAN from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes, relating to compensations of fish wardens," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. GREELEY from the Committee on Towns, on Bill "An Act in favor of the union of the towns of Dover and Foxcroft as one municipality," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and

Game, on Petitions of George W. Harthorn of Milford and 20 other citizens of Old Town, Argyle, Bangor and Newport, and on Petition of F. C. Barton and 53 residents of Bradley and vicinity, in Penobscot County, asking that the law permitting the taking of salmon with drift nets on the Penobscot River, from Waterworks Dam at Bangor, to Seboies River, be restored, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of John A. Story and 43 other residents of Grand Lake Stream, Washington County, asking for a law to permit the taking of white perch in Grand, Junior, Compass, Dobsis and tributary lakes, for sale, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

On motion of Mr. JORDAN of Baileyville,
Was tabled pending acceptance.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the throwing of sawdust and other mill waste into Dyer's River, in the County of Lincoln, with petition of M. L. Hopkins and 16 others, residents of Lincoln County, for same."

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve providing a pension for T. Frank Winter.

Mr. MULLIGAN from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 91 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the size of smoked herring boxes."

Mr. MICHAUD from the Committee on Public Health reported the same on Bill "An Act to provide for the dressing of poultry and game."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to regulate the weight, sale, purity, and price of ice."

Mr. FAY from the Committee on Taxation, on Resolve to amend Article 22 of the Constitution, relating to limitations of municipal indebtedness, reported that the same be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing a road in the town of Abbot (House Document No. 471);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing a bridge across the Piscataquis River in the town of Howland (House Document No. 472);

Resolve in favor of aid in building a road in the towns of Amherst, County of Hancock, and Clifton, County of Penobscot (House Document No. 473);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing Seboeis Bridge in the town of Howland (House Document No. 474);

Resolve in favor of Indian Township for the repair of roads and bridges (House Document No. 475);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing Mill Cove Bridge in the town of Robbinston (House Document No. 476);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Eastport Bridge (House Document No. 477);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing bridge across the Penobscot River in the towns of Enfield and Howland (House Document No. 478);

Resolve in favor of the town of Merrill to aid in building a bridge (House Document No. 479);

Resolve in favor of aid in constructing a road in the Plantation of New Canada (House Document No. 480);

Resolve in favor of repairing a road in the town of Columbia, Washington County (House Document No. 481);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the international bridge between the towns of Van Buren, Maine, and St. Leonards, New Brunswick (House Document No. 482);

Resolve in favor of monuments in memory of Benedict Arnold's expedition through Maine to Quebec (House Document No. 483);

Resolve in favor of the New England Fruit Show (House Document No. 484);

Resolve to provide for carrying out the provisions of Chapter 156 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled "An Act to regulate the packing, shipping and sale of apples" (House Document No. 485);

Resolve for weights and measures (House Document No. 486);

Bill "An Act to create a crop pest commission" (House Document No. 487);

Resolve in favor of the Bureau of Horticulture (House Document No. 488);

Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving political rights to women upon equal terms with men (House Document No. 494);

Resolve in favor of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, for the years 1915 and 1916 in lieu of the sum provided by Chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913 (House Document No. 498);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act relating to the protection of smelts along the coast of Maine from Casco Bay to Penobscot Bay'" (House Document No. 499);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 325 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, fixing the salary for the

Recorder of the Municipal Court of Waterville" (House Document No. 500);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 233 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court in the town of East Livermore" (House Document No. 501);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 21 and 22 of Chapter 123 of the Revised Statutes, relating to obstructing officers in the discharge of their duties" (House Document No. 502);

Bill "An Act to provide for conducting scientific investigations bearing upon the agriculture of Aroostook County" (House Document No. 503);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 44 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 113 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to taking smelts in tide waters" (House Document No. 504);

Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maine providing for the election on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, biennially, of Governors, Senators, Representatives and other officers, now required to be elected on the second Monday of September, biennially (House Document No. 505);

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of the registers of probate" (Senate Document No. 150);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 489 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901 entitled 'An Act to supply the town of Lubec with pure water'" (Senate Document No. 205);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings of judges of probate in vacation" (Senate Document No. 237);

The foregoing Bills were read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading; Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Mr. O'CONNELL of Millinocket,

Introduced under suspension of rules, Bill "An Act relative to the employment of minors," which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. LORD of Ellsworth,

Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. Tuesday, March 9.

FORTUNAT BELLEAU,

Clerk, pro tem.

AUGUSTA,

TUESDAY, March 9, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Stanley of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 63 of Chapter 15 of the Public Laws of 1913, as amended by Chapter 73 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 116 of the Public Laws of 1909, as amended by Chapter 57 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to tuition of pupils in secondary schools,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Education.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 53 of the Laws of 1913, 'An Act for the better regulation of the practice of dentistry;'"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 16 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to primary elections;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve to amend Article 22 of the Constitution, as amended, relating to the limit of municipal indebtedness of cities,

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was referred in non-concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Petition of N. W. Chaney and ten others in favor of Resolve for an investigation of the Hancock Mutual Fire Insurance Company;

Petitions of the following for the same:

George W. Mayo and 19 others;

Henry C. Crabtree and 13 others;

Frank P. Noyes and nine others, policy-holders;

Arthur T. Hill and four others;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Petition of L. H. Merrill and 54 others against the division of the town of Cumberland;

Petition of Enoch L. Rose and 15 others against the same;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Towns.

Bill "An Act to provide for the construction of sidewalks,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Report from the Committee on Agriculture reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 51 of the Private and Special Laws of 1840, relating to the Franklin County Agricultural Society" (Senate Document No. 241).

Report from the Committee on Banks and Banking reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 69 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the licensing of corporations receiving deposits from their employees" (Senate Document No. 252).

Report from the Committee on School for Feeble Minded

reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 44 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 167 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to commitment to the Maine School for Feeble Minded by judges of probate" (Senate Document No. 255).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 44 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the discharge of inmates of the Maine School for Feeble Minded" (Senate Document No. 254).

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to prevent the aiding or abetting of the escape of inmates of the Maine School for Feeble Minded" (Senate Document No. 253).

Report from the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 7 of the Revised Statutes, relating to payment of interest to Plantations from the funds for lands reserved for public uses" (Senate Document No. 257).

Report from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting the same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 79 of the Public Laws of 1905, and as further amended by Chapter 143 of the Public Laws of 1907, defining the boundaries of ways, where the same are doubtful, uncertain or lost" (Senate Document No. 244).

Report from the same Committee reporting the same on Bill "An Act to provide for the care and maintenance of the Mt. Desert Bridge, in the town of Trenton" (Senate Document No. 242).

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report from the Committee on Claims, on Petitions of Charles C. Clement, Albert Pierce, James A. Carleton, C. R. Hill, George A. Palmer, W. T. Hall, Merton A. Haley and others, that Gorham P. Grant be refunded money paid in lieu

of military service in the late War of the Rebellion, reporting that these petitions be placed on file.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 4, 7 and 8, and adding Section 12 to Chapter 65 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the Department of Labor and Industry" (House Document No. 401),

Came back from the Senate, passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

Reconsidered the vote by which the House passed the Bill to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. DESCOTEAUX of Biddeford,

Was tabled pending adoption of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of registers of probate" (Senate Document No. 150),

On motion of Mr. WARD of Augusta,

Voted to reconsider the vote by which this Bill was passed to be engrossed.

On motion of same gentleman,

Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

Bill was tabled pending passage to be engrossed.

Remonstrance of H. G. Gooding and 12 other representatives against the passage of House Bill No. 144;

Remonstrance of D. A. Soule and 12 other residents of Augusta against same;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Ship Pond Stream, in Piscataquis County;"

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in the Kennebec River;"

Petition of J. A. Pelletier and 64 others relating to closing of Violette Brook from Hammond's Mills up, to all kinds of fishing for two years;

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act for safeguarding of employees in factories, mills and workshops against danger from fire,"

Was referred to the Committee on Labor.

Bill "An Act to make part of each election day a holiday,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Resolve of Caribou Grange, No. 138, opposing the Druggist Bill,

Was accepted and placed on file.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 38 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the closed season on wild hares or rabbits."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to repeal certain private and special laws relating to use of motor boats in hunting sea birds, duck and water fowl on the coast of Maine."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the hunting of water fowl and other wild birds in the Back Bay, so called, in Portland."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 163 of the Private

and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the hunting of water fowl and wild birds in Back Bay, Portland."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 281 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 120 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the protection of golden-eye, or whistler."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 373 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the protection of ducks in Lincoln County."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of citizens of Paris, Greenwood and Woodstock, in the County of Oxford, that a law be enacted making it unlawful for any one person to take, catch, kill or have in possession more than five trout and landlocked salmon, both included, in any one day, from Overset Pond, so called, situated in town of Greenwood, in County of Oxford, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Overset Pond, in the town of Greenwood, Oxford County," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of the Lake Kezar Fish and Game Association, relating to changes in the laws applying to fishing in Lake Kezar and its tributaries in Lovell, Stoneham and Stow, in Oxford County, reported a Bill which is submitted, entitled "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Lake Kezar, in the towns of Lovell, Stoneham and Stow, in Oxford County," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of O. C. Dolbier and 87 others that the fish and game laws be so amended as to limit the catch of trout and landlocked salmon by any one person to ten fish in any one day, in Tufts, Grindstone and Dutton Ponds, in the town of Kingfield, re-

ported the same in a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Tufts, Dutton and Grindstone Ponds, in the town of Kingfield, Franklin County," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of J. M. Drew of Greenville and 16 others, citizens of Piscataquis County, asking that the tributaries to Upper and Lower Wilson's Ponds, in said County, be closed to all fishing, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries of Upper and Lower Wilson's Ponds, in the County of Piscataquis," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of the Lake Kezar Fish and Game Association, relating to changes in the laws applying to fishing in Lake Kezar and its tributaries, in Lovell, Stoneham and Stow, in Oxford County, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Lake Kezar and in the tributaries to Kezar River, in the County of Oxford," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of the Central Oxford Fish and Game Association, asking for a daily limit to be placed on smelts which may be taken from Bryant's Pond and tributaries, in Woodstock and Greenwood, Oxford County, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of smelts in Bryant's Pond and tributaries, in the towns of Greenwood and Woodstock, in Oxford County," and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. GREELEY from the Committee on Towns reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to divide the town of Bristol and to incorporate the town of South Bristol."

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro,
Was tabled pending acceptance.

Mr. PERHAM from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported the same on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 56 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, entitled 'An Act to regulate the use of certain roads in the town of Bluehill.'"

Same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act authorizing the towns of Mexico and Rumford, in the County of Oxford, to purchase the toll bridge between said towns, erected and owned by the Mexico Bridge Company."

Mr. POLLARD from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve to appropriate \$500 for the construction of approaches to the State Ferry at Eggemoggin Reach.

Mr. DURGAIN from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of replanking and repainting bridge between East Millinocket and Medway.

Mr. PERHAM from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the Lake Road in Oxford County, in a new draft, under same title.

Mr. WILKINS from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of aid in building a highway bridge across the Sandy River, in the town of New Sharon, in a new draft, under same title.

Mr. BESSE from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of aid in the construction of a highway bridge over the St. John River, between Fort Kent, Maine, and St. Francis, N. B., reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve continuing unexpended appropriation relative to Fort Kent Bridge, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. POLLARD from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of building a bridge across the Mattawamkeag River, in the town of Haynesville, in the County of Aroostook, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide for a non-resident fishing license."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act relating to the protection of deer in the County of Sagadahoc."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to prohibit the shooting of wild birds or wild animals on Hancock Point."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of screening Long Pond.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Davis Stream and Monson Pond Stream, in the County of Piscataquis,"

On motion of Mr. WISE of Guilford,
Was tabled pending acceptance.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to provide a bounty on crows in the towns of Lubec and Trescott."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act relating to the protection of deer in the towns of York, Wells, Kittery, Eliot, South Berwick and North Berwick in the County of York."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve providing for the screening of Jones Pond, in Gouldsboro, Hancock County.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve providing for the screening of Moose Pond,

so called, in Hartland and Harmony, in the County of Somerset.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to closed season on black bass in Damariscotta Lake, in the County of Lincoln, reported that the same be placed on file, as the subject matter is covered by another Bill.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to repeal a portion of Section 9 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the protection of ducks in the Kennebec River and Merrymeeting Bay," reported that the same be placed on file, as the subject matter is covered by another Bill.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to prohibit the snaring of foxes and other wild animals in the towns of Lubec, Trescott, Whiting and Cutler, in the County of Washington, reported that the same be placed on file, as the subject matter is covered by another Bill.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to repeal Section 1 of Chapter 66 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the protection of eider ducks," reported that the same be placed on file, as the subject matter is covered in another Bill.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to repeal Section 3 of Chapter 81 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the protection of ducks in Merrymeeting Bay, Eastern River and Kennebec River, below the Gardiner and Randolph Bridge," reported the same be placed on file, as the subject matter is covered by another Bill.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of Ralph M. Cary and 45 others in favor of extending the law against ice fishing on Pleasant Pond, in the town of Turner, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Petition of Wm. H. Phinney and 46 others in favor

of opening Pleasant Pond, in the town of Turner, County of Androscoggin, for ice fishing for a period of three years.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of John L. Hodsdon and 17 others, asking that the law protecting black bass in Lake Christopher or Bryant's Pond, in Oxford County, be repealed, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw, as the subject matter is covered by a Bill to be reported by this Committee.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Petition of Fred N. Newcomb and 65 others for the enactment of a law to allow eels to be taken in Damariscotta Pond.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Petition of B. F. Kyle and 15 others and of M. M. Tracey and 19 others, asking that a law be enacted prohibiting the trapping of bears.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Petition of W. R. Haley and 52 other residents of Sebago Lake and vicinity, asking for a change in smelt law on Sebago Lake.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of Fred Harvey and 28 others for closing Fall Brook for three years, also remonstrance of Robert Hafford and 35 others against same, reported that the Petitioners have leave to withdraw.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Petition of Fred Harvey and 30 others for a close time on First, Second, Third and Fourth Lakes on Nigger Brook.

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions, on Resolve in favor of Lydia A. Richardson for State pension, reported legislation inexpedient, as subject matter is covered by the general law.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Michael A. Murphy of Lewiston.

Mr. POLLARD from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to State Highways."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act authorizing the selectmen of the town of Eden to license any person competent to operate a motor vehicle or automobile on its highways."

Mr. BESSE from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of completing a section of the old "military road" in the town of Hodgdon.

Mr. POLLARD from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of the town of Verona, for aid in repair of a bridge.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of building a bridge on Violette Brook, in Van Buren.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of the construction of a bridge across Cousin's River, in the town of Yarmouth.

Mr. COBB from the same Committee, on Petition of Frank W. Price and 94 others for the construction of a suitable bridge across the Penobscot River between the city of Old Town and the town of Milford at Sunkhaze Rips, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in aid of navigation of Sebec Lake (House Document No. 506);

Resolve in aid of navigation on Rangeley Lake, Mooselucmeguntic Lake and Cupsuptic Lake (House Document No. 507);

Bill "An Act to make valid the annual town-meeting of the town of Robbinston, in the County of Washington" (House Document No. 508);

Bill "An Act and Petition to enlarge the powers of the Portland Female Charitable Society" (House Document No. 509);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Winthrop Water Company" (House Document No. 510);

Bill "An Act to enable Newcastle Lumber Company to erect and maintain piers and booms in Big Wood Pond in Somerset County" (House Document No. 511);

Bill "An Act in relation to the collecting and preserving of plans" (House Document No. 512);

Bill "An Act to require certain vehicles to carry lights at night on public highways and bridges" (House Document No. 513);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 30 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911 as amended by Chapter 107 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, authorizing the Wiscasset, Waterville and Farmington Railway Company to dispose of a part of the property of said Company" (House Document No. 514);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 203 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the preservation of town records of births, marriages and deaths previous to the year 1892" (House Document No. 515);

Bill "An Act to create a Board of Examination and Registration of Nurses" (House Document No. 528);

Resolve for the completion of the purchase of the farm and the erection of buildings thereon of the farm purchased under the provisions of Chapter 190 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, for the purpose of scientific investigations in agriculture in Aroostook County (House Document No. 529);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the pool at Upper Dam and in the river from said pool to Lake Mollychunkamunk, in the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 534);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Lower Kezar Pond, in the town of Fryeburg, in Oxford County, and in the town of Bridgton, in Cumberland County" (House Document No. 535);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Rapid River between Lower Richardson Lake and Umbagog Lake, and in Pond in the River, in the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 536);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 121 of the Private Laws of 1911, relating to Board of Overseers of the Poor of the city of Portland" (House Document No. 537);

Resolve providing for a laboratory building for the State Board of Health (House Document No. 538);

Resolve in favor of Jesse Bachelder (House Document No. 539);

Resolve in favor of Harry J. Bean of Augusta, Kennebec County, Maine (House Document No. 540);

Resolve in favor of George N. Holland of Hampden (House Document No. 541);

Resolve in favor of Frederick Brown (House Document No. 542);

Resolve in favor of George F. Phillips for State pension (House Document No. 543);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Livermore and Augusta Railway Company" (House Document No. 544);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Casco Bay Water Company" (House Document No. 545);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Washburn Water Company" (House Document No. 546);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Bowdoinham Water and Electric Company" (House Document No. 547);

Resolves read once, Bills read twice, and tomorrow assigned for second reading of Resolves, and third reading of Bills.

Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for permanent improvements and repairs (Senate Document No. 125);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in rebuilding Spruce Head Bridge in the town of South Thomaston (Senate Document No. 243);

Resolve appropriating money to repair bridge in the town of Addison (Senate Document No. 245);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 71 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 24 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the release or discharge of attachments" (Senate Document No. 246);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing a road in the town of Abbot (House Document No. 471);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing a bridge across the Piscataquis River in the town of Howland (House Document No. 472);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a road in the towns of Amherst, County of Hancock, and Clifton, County of Penobscot (House Document No. 473),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and, on motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Was tabled pending second reading.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing Seboeis Bridge in the town of Howland (House Document No. 474);

Resolve appropriating money for the repair of roads and bridges in Indian Township (House Document No. 475);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing Mill Cove Bridge in the town of Robbinston (House Document No. 476);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Eastport Bridge" (House Document No. 477);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing bridge across the Penobscot River in the towns of Enfield and Howland (House Document No. 478);

Resolve appropriating money to aid the town of Merrill in building a bridge (House Document No. 479);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in constructing a road in the Plantation of New Canada (House Document No. 480);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing a road in the town of Columbia, Washington County (House Document No. 481);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing the international bridge between the towns of Van Buren, Maine, and St. Leonards, New Brunswick (House Document No. 482);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read the second time, Bill read the third time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money for the erection of monuments in memory of Benedict Arnold's expedition through Maine to Quebec (House Document No. 483),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Resolve read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve to provide for carrying out the provisions of Chapter 156 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled "An Act to reg-

ulate the packing, shipping and sale of apples" (House Document No. 485),

On motion of Mr. BRANN of Winthrop,
Was tabled pending second reading.

Resolve appropriating money for carrying out the provisions of Chapter 82 of the Public Laws of 1911, entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of a State Sealer of Weights and Measures, and to define his duties" (House Document No. 486);

Bill "An Act to create a Crop Pest Commission" (House Document No. 487);

Resolve appropriating money to carry out the provisions of the law relating to the Bureau of Horticulture (House Document No. 488);

Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution giving political rights to women upon equal terms with men (House Document No. 494);

Resolve appropriating money for the State Board of Charities and Corrections for the years 1915 and 1916, in lieu of the sum provided by Chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1913 (House Document No. 498);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1911 entitled 'An Act relating to the protection of smelts along the coast of Maine from Casco Bay to Penobscot Bay'" (House Document No. 499);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 325 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, fixing the salary for the Recorder of the Municipal Court of Waterville" (House Document No. 500);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 233 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court in the town of East Livermore" (House Document No. 501);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 21 and 22 of Chapter 123 of the Revised Statutes, relating to obstructing officers in the discharge of their duties" (House Document No. 502);

Bill "An Act to provide for conducting scientific investigations bearing upon the agriculture of Aroostook County" (House Document No. 503);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 44 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 113 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to taking smelts in tide waters" (House Document No. 504);

Resolve proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maine providing for the election on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, biennially, of Governors, Senators, Representatives and other officers now required to be elected on the second Monday of September, biennially (House Document No. 505);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read the second time, Bills read the third time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Sections One and Three of Chapter Three Hundred Forty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Providing for the Appointment of an Assistant Probation Officer, Defining His Duties, and Fixing the Salaries of the Probation Officer and the Said Assistant for the County of Cumberland.

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Sixty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Tolls to be Charged by the Sawtelle Brook Dam and Improvement Company.

An Act to Amend Section Three of Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-five of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relative to the Water Rights of the Dover and Foxcroft Water District.

An Act to Authorize the Kennebec Lumber Company to Maintain Piers and Booms in the Kennebec River above the Augusta Dam.

An Act to Provide for the Semi-monthly Payment of Cream and Milk.

An Act to Amend Section Fifteen of Chapter One Hundred Fifty-four of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to an Increase in the Salary of the Recorder of the Houlton Municipal Court.

An Act to Amend Sections Eight, Forty-six and Fifty-four of Chapter Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Compensation of Committees in Highway Proceedings.

An Act to Fix the Salary of the Judge and Recorder of the Sanford Municipal Court.

An Act to Close Socatean Stream to Power Boats.

An Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter Two Hundred and Twenty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relative to the Time of Closing the Polls at Primary Elections.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Mount Vernon Water and Electric Company.

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-five of Chapter Forty-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Forty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Enforcement of a Mortgagee's Lien for Insurance.

An Act Relating to the Liquidation of Domestic Insurance Companies.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the World Standard Insurance Company.

An Act Relating to the Cancellation of Fire Insurance Policies without Tender of the Return Premium.

An Act to Amend Section Seventy-one of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Fifty-nine of

the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Authority of Towns to Raise Money.

An Act to Provide for the Reduction in the Penal Sum of Probate Bonds.

An Act to Amend Section Seven of Chapter Two Hundred and Twenty-one of the Public Laws of 1913, Relating to the Nomination of United States Senators.

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-two of Chapter Six of the Revised Statutes, to Provide for Filling Vacancies in the Representation of the State in the United States Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Eighty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to Employment Agencies.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Rumford Falls and Bethel Street Railway.

An Act to Enlarge the Purposes of the New England Fish Company.

An Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes as Amended, Relating to the Determination of Highway Boundaries which are Doubtful, Uncertain or Lost.

An Act to Amend Sections Twenty-three and Twenty-four of Chapter Two Hundred and Twenty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Filling Vacancies in Nominations Made at a Primary Election.

An Act to Incorporate the Maine Fire Insurance Company.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter One Hundred and Forty-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, "An Act to Insure Publicity with Respect to the Demands upon the State and to Facilitate the Legislative Committees in Dealing with Questions of Appropriations."

An Act to Amend Section Seventy-three of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Investment of Sinking Funds Established by any City or Town.

An Act to Amend Section Ninety-one of Chapter Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, as Amended, Relating to Guide Posts at the Crossings of Ways.

An Act to Exempt Neat Stock Thirty Months Old and Under and All Sheep and Swine from Taxation.

An Act to Amend Section Forty of Chapter Sixty-six of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Notices of Appointment by Executors and Administrators.

An Act to Extend the Rights, Powers and Privileges of the Barrows Falls Light and Power Company.

An Act to Amend Section Seventy-one of Chapter Seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Ninety-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Section One of Chapter One Hundred Seventy-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Jurisdiction of the Superior Court of Cumberland County in Divorce Cases.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Two Hundred Fifty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-eight of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Protection of Alewives, Shad and Sturgeon in the Kennebec River.

An Act to Amend Section Twenty-one of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Sixty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to Deposits in Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings in the Names of Married Women and Minors.

An Act to Amend Section Forty-three of Chapter Sixty-six of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Appointment of an Agent or Attorney by Non-resident Executors or Administrators.

An Act Additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in

Meadow Brook and Its Tributaries, in the Towns of Stockton Springs and Prospect, in the County of Waldo.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Farmington-Oakland Interurban Railway.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Inter-Urban Ferry Company.

An Act to Change the Name of Mark Island, Lying in Penobscot Bay in the County of Hancock, to Resolution Island.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Waldo Street Railway Company.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Harlow Pond, in the Town of Parkman, in the County of Piscataquis.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Lincoln County Street Railway.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Protection of Foxes.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taking of White Perch in Little River, in the Town of Old Orchard, in the County of York.

An Act to Amend Paragraph Twenty-seven of Section One of Chapter One Hundred Sixteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Fifty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven and Chapters One Hundred Ninety-seven and Two Hundred Five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Compensation of the Subordinate Officers of the Maine State Prison.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Eighty-one of

the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Sealing Milk Bottles and Jars.

An Act for the Better Protection of Clams within the Limits of the Town of Harpswell.

An Act to Fix the Salaries of the Judge and Recorder of the Eastport Municipal Court.

An Act to Repeal Certain Obsolete Sections of Chapter Twenty-six of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Fences of Common Fields.

An Act to Repeal Chapter Sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Masters, Apprentices and Servants.

An Act Relating to Certain Causes for Which the License of an Insurance Agent May Be Cancelled.

An Act to Regulate the Employment of Subordinates by Legislative Committees.

An Act to Amend Section Twenty-five of Chapter Twenty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Appointment of Inspectors of Buildings.

An Act to Amend Chapter Five Hundred Twenty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-seven, as Amended by Chapter Three Hundred Forty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Jurisdiction of the Sanford Municipal Court.

An Act to Extend the Time in Which the Maine Title Insurance Company is Authorized to Commence Business.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Lincoln Sewerage Company.

An Act to Legalize and Confirm the Incorporation and Doings of the Congregational Church Society of Stonington, Maine, and Change the Name of Said Society.

Resolve providing for the Examination of Claims for State Pensions.

Resolve Authorizing the Land Agent to Convey to the Town

of Bridgton the State's Interest in a Certain Lot of Land in Said Town.

Resolve for Retracing and Defining the Lines Around the Reserved or School Lands of Plantations and Townships.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell, to Provide for the Payment of Interest on Trust Funds Deposited in the State Treasury.

Resolve in Favor of Lizzie Bean.

Resolve Reimbursing James J. Clement for Expenses Incurred During the Contest of His Seat in the House of Representatives of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Resolve in Favor of Levite V. Thibodeau for Salary and Travel in Attendance at the Seventy-seventh Legislature, and Also for Expenses Incurred During the Contest for His Seat in the House of Representatives.

Resolve Reimbursing Peter Harmon for Expense Incurred in Contesting the Seat of James J. Clement in the House of Representatives of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Resolve in Favor of Arthur C. Smith, Secretary of the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, for Certain Committee Expenses.

Resolve in Favor of W. A. Ricker, Secretary of the Committee on Education, for Certain Committee Expenses.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purchase of Musical Instruments for the Organization of a Band at the State School for Boys.

Resolve in Favor of the Town of Newfield for the Payment of Additional State School Funds for the Year Nineteen Hundred Twelve.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Norridgewock for Money Paid Out to Support Certain Paupers.

Resolve Reimbursing the City of Old Town for Money Expended on Account of Certain State Paupers.

Resolve in Favor of the Town of Merrill for Payment of Interest Due from the State on the School Fund of Said Town.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Shirley for Money Expended on Account of Certain State Paupers.

Resolve Reimbursing Samuel D. Erskine, Moses Erskine, Wilbur B. Tibbetts, Elmer H. Boynton and Delbert L. Fowles for Money Expended as Damages for Building a Road in the Town of Jefferson.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Perry for Money Expended on Account of a State Pauper.

Resolve for General Maintenance of the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell.

Resolve for the Permanent Improvement of Buildings and for Increasing the Water Supply at the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell.

Resolve in Favor of the State School for Boys at South Portland for Permanent Improvements and Insurance.

Resolve in Favor of the State School for Boys at South Portland for General Maintenance.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Lubec for Moneys Expended for the Care and Burial of a State Pauper.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine State Museum.

Resolve in Favor of the Eastern State Normal School at Castine for the Construction of a Gymnasium Building and for Repairs and Permanent Improvements.

Resolve in Favor of the Board of Dental Examiners for the Purchase of Certain Equipment, and for the Prosecution of Violators of the Provisions of Chapter Fifty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen.

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to create a Police Commissioner and a Board of Examiners for the city of Lewiston,"

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

Was taken from the table and recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

Order notifying the Senate that Resolves appropriating money in favor of Moscow, Pleasant Ridge Plantation and Caratunk Plantation, vetoed by the Governor, failed to receive a two-thirds affirmative vote, was indefinitely postponed.

Resolve in favor of bridge across South Branch of Dead River (Senate Document No. 172),

Which was tabled March 3 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Resolve in favor of town of Trescott for highways (Senate Document No. 171),

Which was tabled March 3 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of same gentleman,

Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Resolve in favor of Whitneyville and Marshfield for highway (Senate Document No. 170),

Which was tabled March 3 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of same gentleman,

Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Order requesting Senate to return House Resolve No. 108,

Which was tabled March 3 pending passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for Thursday.

Order requesting Senate to return House Resolve No. 110,

Which was tabled March 3 pending passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for Thursday.

Resolve in favor of aid in rebuilding highway in Concord
(House Document No. 364),
Which was tabled March 4 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Resolve in favor of repairing the main highway leading from
Franklin to Cherryfield (House Document No. 365),
Which was tabled March 4 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. WEBB of Cherryfield,
Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Resolve in favor of appropriation to repair Mopang Bridge
in Township No. 30, M. D., Washington County (Senate Doc-
ument No. 161),
Which was tabled March 4 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Senate Report from the Committee on Salaries and Fees
on Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of County Commis-
sioners,"

Which was tabled March 4 pending acceptance in concur-
rence,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Was re-assigned for Thursday.

Resolve in favor of appropriation to repair the bridges in
Township No. 29, M. D., Washington County (Senate Docu-
ment No. 162),

Which was tabled March 4 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Resolve in favor of appropriation to reimburse town of
Deblois (Senate Document No. 163),

Which was tabled March 4 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Resolve in favor of repairing highway in Solon (House
Document No. 321),

Which was tabled March 4 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Resolve in favor of Aroostook River Bridge (House Docu-
ment No. 320),

Which was tabled March 4 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Resolve in favor of road around Cook Hill in Jackson
(House Document No. 319),

Which was tabled March 4 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. McKINLEY of Jackson,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve in favor of bridge across Carrabassett River (House
Document No. 317),

Which was tabled March 4 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Resolve in favor of highway in Greenwood and Woodstock
(House Document No. 309),

Which was tabled March 4 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Ordered, That no Bill or Resolve carrying an appropriation
of money shall be finally passed prior to the sixteenth day of
March, next,

Which was tabled March 4 pending passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve appropriating money for reconstruction of Lord
Bridge in Frankfort,

Which was tabled March 4 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for Thursday.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing highway
in Otisfield,

Which was tabled March 4 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for Thursday.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in construction of bridge
across Sebec River in Milo,

Which was tabled March 4 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for Thursday.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in reconstruction of
bridge in Montville,

Which was tabled March 4 pending final passage,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Was taken from the table, and re-assigned for Thursday.

Resolve in favor of aid in building a bridge in the town of
Crystal (House Document No. 318),
Which was tabled March 4, pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls,
Was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Bill "An Act to create the Anson Water District,"
Which was tabled March 4 pending reference in concurrence
to a Committee,

Was taken from the table, and, on motion of Mr. HIGGINS
of Brewer,

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs in con-
currence.

Bill "An Act to create the Hartland Water District,"
Which was tabled March 4 pending reference in concurrence
to a Committee,

Was taken from the table, and, on motion of Mr. HIGGINS
of Brewer,

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs in con-
currence.

Bill "An Act for the prompt payment of poll taxes,"
Which was tabled March 3 pending third reading,

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Was taken from the table, and the same gentleman offered
House Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. BROWN of Auburn,
Was tabled pending printing and adoption of House Amend-
ment "A."

Resolve in favor of the Eastern Maine Orphans' Home for
maintenance,

Which was tabled March 6 pending reference to a Com-
mittee,

On motion of Mr. WELCH of Machiasport,
Was taken from the table and referred in concurrence to
the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Wells Beach Lighting District,"

Which was tabled March 6 pending reference to a Committee,

On motion of Mr. RYDER of Brownville,
Was taken from the table and referred in concurrence to
the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. SNOW of Mars Hill,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M., tomorrow, Wednesday.

FORTUNAT BELLEAU,
Clerk, pro tem.

AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, March 10, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingston of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to highways,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Report from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of

the Commissioners of Pharmacy for equipment, also for the liquidation of certain deficiencies (Senate Document No. 258);

Report from the Committee on Interior Waters reporting same on Resolve appropriating money for the maintenance of lights along the Narrows connecting the Upper and Lower Richardson Lakes (Senate Document No. 267);

Report from the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act authorizing the building and maintenance of a dyke in the town of Milbridge (Senate Document No. 266);

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend, revive and extend the charter of the Stratton Water Company" (Senate Document No. 265);

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to authorize the Municipal Light and Power Company to decrease its capital stock" (Senate Document No. 264);

Report from the Committee on Military Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend the Military Law" (Senate Document No. 238);

Report from the Committee on Pensions reporting the same on Resolve increasing the retirement pay of Thomas Clark (Senate Document No. 84);

Report from the Committee on Revision of the Statutes reporting same on Bill "An Act to fix the standard weight of certain commodities not included in Section 39 of Chapter 39 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 124 of the Public Laws of 1913, and to correct the standard weight of a bushel of dried apples and to change the standard weight of a barrel of potatoes" (House Document No. 323);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice, Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Report from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the establishment of a State Highway Commission."

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the town of Fort Kent in building a bridge across the St. John River.

The reports were accepted in concurrence and returned to the Senate.

Report from the Committee on Pensions reporting the same on Resolve providing a State pension for Frances H. Orrok,

Came from the Senate recommitted to the Committee on Pensions, and sent down for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. WILSON of Levant,

Was recommitted to the Committee on Pensions in concurrence.

Report from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting same on Resolve in favor of Sandy River Plantation in the County of Franklin, for building a new road and bridge in said Plantation,

Came from the Senate recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Bridges, and sent down for concurrence.

The report was accepted in concurrence and returned to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Leo Shay, Representative of Penobscot Tribe of Indians,

Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Petition of George W. Quint of Gray, and 114 others, residents of Gray and vicinity, remonstrating against any change in the deer law in Cumberland County;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Whetstone Pond, in Piscataquis County;"

Were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Resolve to prevent the Attorney-General from appearing as counsel before Legislative Committees,

Was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act to provide for the publishing of Private and Special Laws,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 191 of the Private Laws of 1913, and authorizing the County of Penobscot to borrow money for the purposes specified in said Act,"

Was referred to the Penobscot Delegation.

Bill "An Act relating to administering oaths required by law,"

Was referred to the Committee on Revision of the Statutes.

Remonstrance of Elmer E. Brown and 44 others of North Haven against the proposed change in the seining law east of Whitehead,

Was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Remonstrance against enactment of House Bill No. 238, "An Act for the prevention of forest fires," and against Senate Bill No. 99 for preservation, perpetuation and increase of the forests of the State of Maine, by E. Sawyer, Jr., of Sebouis, and 22 others,

Was referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture, on Resolve to promote and assist the interests of poultry culture, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to dogs."

Mr. RICKER from the Committee on Education, on Resolve

making appropriations for the construction of buildings at the University of Maine, reported same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Indian Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 49 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891, as relating to the policeman of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians.

Mr. WATERHOUSE from the Committee on Judiciary reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section nine of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, relating to place for bringing actions.

Mr. SANBORN from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to authorize Seboeis Plantation to build and maintain its roads and bridges and raise money therefor."

Mr. CAMPBELL from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to change the name of the Maine Baptist Missionary Convention and to unite with it the Maine Baptist Education Society and the Maine Baptist Charitable Society."

Mr. SANBORN from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to authorize the Plantation of Barnard to construct its ways and bridges."

Mr. CONNERS from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act to create a Public Utilities Commission, prescribe its powers and duties and to provide for the regulation and control of public utilities.'"

Mr. WATERHOUSE from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Hon. D. D. Stewart of St. Albans.

Mr. THOMBS from the Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act to revise and extend the powers of the Kingman Developing Company," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HANSON from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Libby Homestead Corporation."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act confirming the official acts of Frank D. Fenderson acting as Register of Deeds for York County."

Mr. THIBODEAU from the Committee on Library, on Resolve in favor of a History of Pemaquid, in the town of Bristol, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. MICHAUD from the Committee on Public Health, on Bill "An Act to provide for the cure and treatment of tubercular persons," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. PERHAM from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve in favor of the town of Hebron, reported same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing highway in the town of Hebron, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. BESSE from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of assisting the town of Plymouth in the repairing and rebuilding of Long Bridge across Plymouth Pond, reported same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing Long Bridge, so called, in the town of Plymouth, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. DURGAIN from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 356 of the Private and Special Laws of 1883, relating to the construction of bridge over tide waters between Orr's Island and Bailey's Island," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. COBB from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of repairing road in the town of Cooper, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. BESSE from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the town of Harmony for a bridge across Higgins Brook, reported same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in building a bridge across Higgins Brook, in the town of Harmony, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. COBB from the same Committee, on Resolve for re-

pairing a highway in the town of Upton, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing highway in the town of Upton, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act additional to Section 2 of Chapter 156 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the packing, shipping and sale of apples."

Mr. RICKER from the Committee on Education reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 88 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 48 of the Public Laws of 1905, as amended by Chapter 48 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 190 of the Public Laws of 1909, as amended by Chapter 23 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to school holidays."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 177 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the common school fund and its distribution."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Resolve in favor of Nellie Fletcher, with statement of facts.

Mr. SANBORN from the Committee on Judiciary reported same on Bill "An Act relating to the records of instruments relating to real estate in the County of Knox, now recorded in other counties."

Mr. McCARTY from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 215 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to municipal elections."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act in addition to Chapter 93 of the Revised Statutes, relating to liens on lands."

Mr. CONNELLAN from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to establish a State Board of Accounts."

Mr. O'CONNELL, from the Committee on Labor, on Bill "An Act for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from steam-boilers and steam engines operated by incompetent persons," reported that the same be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. SMITH from the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act amending Section 2 of Chapter 143 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the age at which boys may be committed to the State School for Boys."

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Majority report from the Committee on Education on Bill "An Act to provide for the distribution of State school funds," reporting "ought not to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. Walker
Murphy
Ames
Gallagher
Woodman
Snow
Pierce
Ricker

Minority report on the same Bill, reporting "ought to pass."

(Signed) Mr. Perham

Mr. RICKER of Castine

Moved acceptance of the Majority Report, "ought not to pass."

Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock

Moved that the Reports be tabled until tomorrow. Motion was lost.

Mr. RICKER of Castine called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered.

The motion before the House being acceptance of the Majority Report, "ought not to pass," the motion was carried by a vote of 83 to 63.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Fossett	Morse
Allen	Gallagher	Mulligan
Averill	Gilmour	Neilon
Ballard	Goldthwait	Newell
Bernier	Gooding	Noyes
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Goodwin	Peabbles
Blake (Oakland)	Greeley	Perkins
Bonney	Greenleaf	Picher
Bourque	Hanson (Saco)	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Bradbury	Hanson (Sanford)	Pierce (Houlton)
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Haraden	Plummer
Chadbourne	Haskell	Ricker
Clifford	Higgins	Roberts
Cobb	Hobbs	Robinson
Colcord	Hodgkins	Russell (Lewiston)
Connellan	Holt (Gouldsboro)	St. Clair (Rockland)
Corliss	Holt (Skowhegan)	Sanborn
Currier	Leader	Small
Daigle	Lewis	Snow
Davis	Lombard	Thibodeau
Descoteaux	Lord	Thombs
Douglass	Mansir	Trafton
Drapeau	Maxwell	Ward
Drummond	McCarty	Waterhouse
Durgain	McCurdy	Wheeler
Ellis	Michaud	Wilkins
Erskine	Mitchell	Woodman—83
Fay	Morrison	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Ames	Carson	Ford
Beal	Chamberlin	Gerrish
Benn	Clement	Gould
Besse	Coffin	Grant
Brann	Danforth	Greaton
Brawn	Dilling	Greenlaw
Brown (Auburn)	Dutton	Hart
Bussey	Edwards	Hill
Campbell	Evans	Jameson

Jordan	Perham	Turner
Lawrence	Peterson	Tuttle
Libby	Pollard	Varney
Littlefield	Ranney	Wasgatt
McCorrison	Russell (Alfred)	Washburn
McIntire	Ryder	Watts
McKinley	St. Clair (Calais)	Webb
Meader	Smith	Welch
Millett	Tabbutt	Wescott
Mullin	Tate	Wilson
Nicholas	Tobey	Wise
O'Connell	Towle	Wyman—63

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Bragdon	Connors	McNally—5
Chaplin	Harper	

Bill "An Act to amend Section 69 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the duration of attachments" (House Document No. 548);

Bill "An Act relating to fees received by Clerks of Courts in naturalization proceedings" (House Document No. 549);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 84 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings on demurrers" (House Document No. 550);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 23 of Chapter 18 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 26 of the Public Laws of 1907 and Chapter 40 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the State Laboratory of Hygiene" (House Document No. 551);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 211 of the Public Laws of 1913, regulating the sale of morphine and other hypnotic drugs" (House Document No. 552);

Bill "An Act to prevent milk-borne outbreaks of infectious diseases" (House Document No. 553);

Bill "An Act to authorize the removal of bodies of deceased

persons from the Guilford Cemetery on the highway leading from Guilford Village to Foxcroft, in the town of Guilford" (House Document No. 554);

Resolve providing for an epidemic or emergency fund (House Document No. 555);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Brewer Water Company, as amended by Chapter 170 of the Public Laws of 1913" (House Document No. 556);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Corinna Water Company" (House Document No. 557);

Bill "An Act to extend the time within which the Farmington-Oakland Railway shall actually commence business" (House Document No. 558);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Bluehill Water Company" (House Document No. 559);

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the People's Ferry Company" (House Document No. 560);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 20 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act authorizing the town of Caribou to accept a certain legacy'" (House Document No. 561);

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Millinocket to own and maintain an electric lighting and power plant" (House Document No. 562);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Bent's Pond, so called, in the town of New Sharon, in Franklin County, and in the town of Vienna, in Kennebec County" (House Document No. 563);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the use of fire-arms upon Megunticook Lake and adjacent waters and tributaries thereof, in Knox and Waldo

Counties, and upon the shores thereof" (House Document No. 564);

Resolve authorizing the State Treasurer to procure a temporary loan for the year 1915 (House Document No. 565);

Resolve authorizing the State Treasurer to procure a temporary loan for the year 1916 (House Document No. 566);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Davis Ponds in Guilford and Willimantic, in the County of Piscataquis" (House Document No. 567);

Resolve in favor of the Maine School for the Deaf (House Document No. 568);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in certain waters in Oxford County" (House Document No. 569);

Resolve in favor of the Bath Military and Naval Orphan Asylum, at Bath, Maine (House Document No. 570);

Bill "An Act relating to the payment of legacies" (House Document No. 571);

Bill "An Act to punish escapes from jail" (House Document No. 572);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 186 of the Public Laws of 1907, and by Chapter 22 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the presentation of claims against estates" (House Document No. 573);

Bill "An Act making it unlawful for persons to falsely represent themselves as deaf, dumb, blind or crippled or otherwise defective" (House Document No. 574);

Bills were read twice, Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Bill "An Act in favor of the union of the towns of Dover and Foxcroft as one municipality" (House Document No. 575),

Was read twice, and, on motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

Was tabled pending third reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the compensation of fish wardens" (House Document No. 576);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 380 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the taking of lobsters and setting lobster traps in the waters of Gouldsboro and other towns" (House Document No. 577);

Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in certain waters of Hancock County" (House Document No. 578);

Bill "An Act to repeal Special Law 1895, Chapter 288, entitled 'An Act relating to purse and drag seines in the Georges River'" (House Document No. 579);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 47 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the returns of lists of stockholders in banks to the Secretary of State" (House Document No. 580);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 63 of the Public Laws of 1907, providing for filing lists of heirs in the Registry of Deeds" (House Document No. 581);

Bill "An Act relating to crossings of rights of way of railroads organized under Chapter 53 of the Revised Statutes" (House Document No. 582);

Were read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 89 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 184 of the Public Laws of 1907, Chapter 94 of the Public Laws of 1909, and Chapter 46 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the choice of assessors of taxes" (House Document No. 583),

On motion of Mr. RYDER of Brownville,
Was tabled pending third reading and printing of House
Amendment "A."

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 19 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to obstruction of the drainage of public ways" (House Document No. 584),

Was read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 51 of the Private and Special Laws of 1840, relating to Franklin County Agricultural Society" (Senate Document No. 241);

Bill "An Act to provide for the care and maintenance of Mount Desert Bridge in the town of Trenton, in the County of Hancock" (Senate Document No. 242);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 79 of the Public Laws of 1905, and as further amended by Chapter 143 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to boundaries of ways" (Senate Document No. 244);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 69 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the licensing of corporations receiving deposits from their employees" (Senate Document No. 252);

Bill "An Act to prevent aiding or abetting of the escape of inmates of the Maine School for Feeble Minded" (Senate Document No. 253);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 44 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the discharge of inmates of the Maine School for Feeble Minded" (Senate Document No. 254);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 44 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 167 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the commitment to the Maine School for Feeble Minded by judges of probate" (Senate Document No. 255);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 7 of the Revised Statutes, relating to payment of interest to Plantations from the fund for lands reserved for public uses" (Senate Document No. 257);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money for the erection of monument in memory of Benedict Arnold's expedition through Maine to Quebec (House Document No. 483),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and, on motion of Mr. DRUMMOND of Winslow,

Resolve was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 12.

Resolve appropriating money to aid navigation of Sebec Lake (House Document No. 506);

Resolve appropriating money to aid navigation on Rangeley Lake, Mooselucmeguntic Lake and Cupsuptic Lake (House Document No. 507);

Bill "An Act to make valid the annual town-meeting of the town of Robbinston, in the County of Washington" (House Document No. 508);

Bill "An Act and Petition to enlarge the powers of the Portland Female Charitable Society" (House Document No. 509);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Winthrop Water Company" (House Document No. 510);

Bill "An Act to enable the Newcastle Lumber Company to erect and maintain piers and booms in Big Wood Pond in Somerset County" (House Document No. 511);

Bill "An Act in relation to the collecting and preserving of plans" (House Document No. 512);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third

time, Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to require certain vehicles to carry lights at night on public highways and bridges" (House Document No. 513),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and, on motion of Mr. GRANT of St. Albans,

Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Tuesday, March 16.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 30 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 107 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, authorizing the Wiscasset, Waterville and Farmington Railway Company to dispose of a part of property of said Company" (House Document No. 514),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and, on motion of Mr. DUTTON of Bingham,

Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Wednesday, March 17.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 203 of the Public Laws of 1903, relating to the preservation of town records of births, marriages and deaths previous to the year 1892" (House Document No. 515);

Bill "An Act to create a Board of Examination and Registration of Nurses" (House Document No. 528);

Resolve for the completion of the purchase of farm and the erection of buildings thereon of the farm purchased under the provisions of Chapter 190 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, for the purpose of scientific investigations in agriculture in Aroostook County (House Document No. 529);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the pool at Upper Dam and in the river

from the said pool to Lake Mollychunkamunk, in the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 534);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Lower Kezar Pond, in the town of Fryeburg, in Oxford County, and in the town of Bridgton, in Cumberland County" (House Document No. 535);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Rapid River between Lower Richardson Lake and Umbagog Lake and in Pond in the River, in the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 536);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 121 of the Private Laws of 1911, relating to Board of Overseers of the Poor in the city of Portland" (House Document No. 537);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, Resolve read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve providing for a laboratory building for the State Board of Health (House Document No. 538),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and, on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading.

Resolve in favor of Jesse Bachelder (House Document No. 539);

Resolve in favor of Harry J. Bean of Augusta, Kennebec County, Maine (House Document No. 540);

Resolve in favor of George M. Holland of Hampden (House Document No. 541);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Frederick Brown (House Document No. 542),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading.

Resolve in favor of George F. Phillips for State pension (House Document No. 543),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, read once, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Livermore and Augusta Railway" (House Document No. 544),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending third reading.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Casco Bay Water Company" (House Document No. 545);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Washburn Water Company" (House Document No. 546);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Bowdoinham Water and Electric Company" (House Document No. 547);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Chapter Thirty-one of the Revised Statutes by Including Shooting Galleries in the Provisions Thereof.

An Act to Incorporate the Salisbury Cove Water Company.

An Act to Equalize the Salaries of the Judges of Probate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Tabled pending enactment, and tomorrow assigned.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Forest Lake, in Cumberland County.

An Act Additional to Chapter Two Hundred and Ninety of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Authority of the Rumford and Mexico Water District to Take Land in the Plantation of Milton.

An Act to Establish a Minimum Wage for State House Employees.

An Act to Amend Sections Twenty-five and Thirty of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Taxation of the Property of Corporations.

An Act to Amend Section Sixty-two of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section Thirteen of Chapter Forty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, and as Further Amended by Chapter Eighty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Providing for the Tuition of High School Scholars in Towns Having No Free High Schools.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Passadumkeag River, in the Counties of Penobscot and Hancock.

An Act Additional to the Charter of the Penobscot Bay Electric Company.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Lubec, East Machias and Machias Railway Company.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Thirty-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Eleven, Relative to the Better Protection of Forests Along Railroads from Fire.

An Act to Incorporate the Town of Chapman in Aroostook County.

An Act to Set Off a Part of the Town of Centerville and Annex the Same to the Town of Northfield.

An Act to Amend Section Sixteen of Chapter One Hundred Twenty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Injuries to Fruit Gardens.

An Act to Amend Section Six of Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-two of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Penalty for Manufacturing or Having in Possession Implements and Materials for Counterfeiting.

An Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Reception of Bribes for Neglect of Duty by Sheriffs and Other Officers.

An Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred and Four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Relating to Insane Criminals.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Quebec Extension Railway Company.

An Act to Extend and Amend the Charter of the Fairfield and Skowhegan Railway Company.

An Act to Amend Section Ninety-seven of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Forty-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, as Amended by Chapter Eighty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Sixty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Appropriation for the Schooling of Children in Unorganized Townships.

An Act to Amend Section Three of Chapter Fifty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the State Certification of Teachers of Public Schools.

An Act to Amend Section Forty-eight of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two

Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Hunting on Kineo Point, in Kineo, in the County of Piscataquis.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Certain Waters in Township Number Six, Range Two, N. B. K. P., or Forsyth Township, and in Township Number Six, Range One, N. B. K. P., or Holeb Township, in the County of Somerset.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing Through the Ice in Martin Pond, Sometimes Called Long Pond, in The Forks Plantation, in Somerset County.

An Act Relating to the Adjustment and Payment of Fire Losses by Insurance Companies.

An Act Authorizing the Greenville Light and Power Company to Sell and Convey Its Properties and Franchises to the Penobscot Bay Electric Company.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Lincoln Light and Power Company.

An Act Providing for Punishment of Certain Offenses Against Habitations and Other Buildings.

An Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Authority of Guardians of Persons over Twenty-one Years of Age.

An Act to Amend Section Seventeen of Chapter Seventy-seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Proceedings if Husband or Wife Refuses to Release Interest in Real Estate.

An Act to Allow Transportation Companies to Issue Free or Reduced Rate Transportation to Their Employees Holding State, County or Municipal Offices.

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Proceedings of Judges of Probate in Vacation.

An Act to Amend Section Six of Chapter Four Hundred and Eighty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred One, Entitled, "An Act to Supply the Town of Lubec with Pure Water."

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Introduced by Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, under suspension of rules,

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the construction of a road in the town of Moscow,

On motion of the same gentleman,

Was read twice under suspension of rules, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Introduced by Mr. POLLARD of Solon,

Resolve appropriating money to aid in improving a highway in Caratunk Plantation,

On motion of same gentleman,

Was read twice under suspension of rules, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Introduced by Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan, under suspension of rules,

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing and altering the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset,

Was read twice under suspension of rules, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Ordered, That no Bill or Resolve carrying an appropriation of money, shall be finally passed prior to the sixteenth day of March, next.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved adoption of House Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Order received a passage as amended, House Amendment "A" being amended by changing the word twenty-fourth to eighteenth.

Reports "A" and "B" from the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred "An Act to incorporate the Kennebunk Water District," Report "A" "ought to pass" and Report "B" "ought not to pass."

Mr. WATERHOUSE of Kennebunk

Moved acceptance of Report "A." The motion was lost.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

House adopted Report "B." It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer

Moved that the House take a recess until 4.30 P. M. this afternoon.

Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln

Moved to adjourn.

On division of the House this motion was lost by a vote of 55 yes and 55 no. It was then voted to take a recess until 4.30 P. M. this afternoon.

AFTER RECESS.

Majority and Minority Reports on State Prison, to which was referred Resolve in favor of altering and enlarging the State Prison at Thomaston,

Which was tabled February 27 pending acceptance by either report,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

The House accepted the Minority Report by a vote of 59 to 48.

On request of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland, unanimous consent of the House was given to substitute the printed Bill for the original. The Bill was then ordered printed under joint rules.

Majority and Minority Reports of the Committee on Temperance, on Bill "An Act to provide for the sale of intoxicating liquors," Majority reporting "ought not to pass," and Minority reporting "ought to pass,"

Which was tabled March 2 pending acceptance of either report,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

The Bill was tabled until Wednesday of next week, and 500 copies ordered printed.

Bill "An Act relating to the employment of superintendents of schools" (House Document No. 422),

Which was tabled March 3 pending passage to be engrossed,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. MEADER of Chelsea,

The Bill was passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve authorizing Land Agent to sell certain lands in Plantation No. 33, in Hancock County (House Document No. 220),

Which was tabled March 4 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was laid on the table.

Report of the Committee on Labor, on Bill "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors" (House Document No. 328),

Which was tabled March 5 pending acceptance.
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. FAY of Dexter,

Was re-tabled and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve in favor of building a road around Cook Hill, in the town of Jackson (House Document No. 319),
Which was tabled March 9 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. McKINLEY of Jackson,
Was read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey lot or parcel of land situated in the public lot of Dennistown Plantation (House Document No. 423),
Which was tabled February 23 pending second reading,
Was taken from the table. •

The same gentleman moved the adoption of House Amendment "A."

A division of the House being called for, three voted "yes," and 70 voted "no."

On motion of same gentleman,
Resolve was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Voted to reconsider the action of the House by which Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of certain public officers" (House Document No. 403),
Which was tabled March 2 pending second reading.

On further motion of same gentleman,
Bill was read the second time, and tomorrow assigned.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Resolve authorizing Land Agent to sell certain lands in Plantation No. 33 in Hancock County (House Document No. 220),
Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman,

Was read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Resolve in favor of aid in the building of a road in the

towns of Amherst, County of Hancock, and Clifton, County of Washington (House Document No. 473),

Which was tabled March 9 pending second reading,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman,

Resolve was recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

On motion of Mr. BROWN of Auburn,

Bill "An Act to provide for the convenience of travelers on electric roads" (House Document No. 497),

Which was tabled February 23 pending printing of House Amendment "A,"

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman,

Was read twice, and tomorrow assigned.

On motion of Mr. MILLETT of Belfast,

Majority and Minority Reports of the Committee on State Prison, on Bill "A Resolve in favor of purchase of land in some suitable location and the erection thereon of buildings for a new State Prison,"

Which was tabled March 6 pending acceptance of either Report,

Was taken from the table.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

Voted to concur with the Senate in the acceptance of the Minority Report of "ought not to pass."

On motion of Mr. WISE of Guilford,

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Davis Stream and Monson Pond, in the County of Piscataquis,"

Which was tabled March 9 pending acceptance,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman,

Voted to recommit to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro,

Report of the Committee on Towns reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to divide the town of Bristol, and to incorporate the town of South Bristol,"

Which was tabled March 9 pending acceptance,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman,

Was re-tabled and tomorrow assigned.

On motion of Mr. BROWN of Auburn,

Bill "An Act for the prompt payment of poll taxes," (House Document No. 450),

Which was tabled March 9 pending the adoption of House Amendment "A,"

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman,

House Amendment "A" was adopted, and, on further motion of same gentleman,

Bill was read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. Thursday.

FORTUNAT BELLEAU,

Clerk, pro tem.

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, March 11, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Evans of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolutions of Tuesday Club of Oakland in favor of a women's reformatory;

Petition of Mrs. E. M. Foster and others of Oakland in favor of same;

Were accepted and placed on file in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to annex the Suburban Water District and West Farmington Water District to the Farmington Village Corporation,"

Was referred under suspension of rules, to the Committee on Judiciary, in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to repeal certain provisions of law relative to the duties of the Assessors of the city of Bangor in ascertaining the political preferences of voters,"

Was referred under suspension of rules, to the Committee on Legal Affairs in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend Clause 1 of Section 5 of Chapter 92 of the Revised Statutes, relating to foreclosure of mortgages;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 93 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, relating to attendance at theatrical exhibitions by school children;"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Bill "An Act relating to the verification of certificates of organization of corporations,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Revision of the Statutes.

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Clerk of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Petition of E. I. White and 118 others of Machias against any change in our laws relating to the catching of herring,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Report from the Cumberland County Delegation, on Bill "An Act to authorize the construction of a bridge by the County of Cumberland," reporting that the same be referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges;

Report from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Raymond Fish Hatchery for repairs and additions thereto (Senate Document No. 279);

Report from the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act to ratify, confirm and make valid the proceedings of the First Congregational Parish of Kittery" (Senate Document No. 280);

Report from the Committee on Military Affairs reporting same on Resolve in favor of an appropriation to complete the historical record of Maine men serving in the United States Navy during the war for the suppression of the Rebellion, 1861-1865 (Senate Document No. 281);

Report from the Portland Delegation reporting same on Bill "An Act to abolish the office of city solicitor of the city of Portland, and to create the office of corporation counsel of the city of Portland, and to determine his duties, tenure of office and salary" (Senate Document No. 282);

Report from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reporting the same on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 87 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relating to the taking

of lobsters within three miles of the islands of Matinicus and Criehaven" (Senate Document No. 283);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice and Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

On motion of Mr. GOLDTHWAIT of Biddeford,

Ordered, That the Sea and Shore Fisheries Committee be granted the use of Representatives Hall for a public hearing, on Thursday afternoon, March 11, 1915.

Resolve in favor of Committee on Public Health for expenses to Bangor,

Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Petition of W. H. Scott and 8 others relating to closing of Violette Brook from Hammond's Mill up, to all kinds of fishing for two years,

Was referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Remonstrance against uniting the towns of Dover and Foxcroft, headed by V. L. Warren and 36 others;

Remonstrances of the following against the same:

E. B. Smith and 34 others; E. D. Collins and 17 others;
F. L. Towne and 15 others; Caleb H. Cushing and 28 others;
F. H. Palmer and 28 others; Ralph Bradley and 16 others;
B. G. Dow and 14 others;

Were read and ordered placed on file.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. MORSE from the Committee on Banks and Banking reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Subdivision "F" of Section 23 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, with

reference to the investment of deposits of savings banks and institutions for savings."

Mr. RICKER from the Committee on Education reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 71 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the improvement of free high schools."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 7 of Section 100 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the course of study in common schools."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to establish a Board of Education for the city of Bath."

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Eastern Maine Institute at Springfield to defray expenses and obligations incurred in the conduct of the school for the school years ending July 1, 1913, and July 1, 1914, reported in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same Committee on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 215 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887 and amendatory of Chapter 281 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, relating to Eastern Maine Institute, reported same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 47 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the use of motor boats in hunting sea birds, duck or water fowl."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to night hunting, reported in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of E. M. Grant and 15 others, residents of Oxford County, asking for additional restrictions upon fishing in Metalluc Brook, a tributary to Upper Richardson Lake, reported Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Metalluc Brook and in Mill Brook, in Franklin County," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of E. M. Grant and 15 others, residents of Oxford County, asking for additional restrictions upon fishing in Metalluc Brook, a tributary to Upper Richardson Lake, reported Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Mill Brook and in Metalluc Brook, tributaries to Upper Richardson Lake, and at the mouth of said Metalluc Brook, in the County of Oxford," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of E. O. Welden of Greenville, and 15 other citizens of Piscataquis County, for additional closed season on fishing in Rum Pond, in T. 8, Range 10, Piscataquis County, reported Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Rum Pond, Piscataquis County," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. DAVIS from the Committee on Interior Waters, on Bill "An Act to regulate anchorage in waters of Moosehead Lake bordering on Kineo, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. CLIFFORD from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act amending Chapter 241 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, entitled 'An Act to supply the town of Lisbon with pure water.'"

Mr. HOLT from the Committee on Salaries and Fees reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 211 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, as amended by

Chapter 101 of the Laws of 1909, relating to salaries of Judge and Recorder of Bangor Municipal Court."

Mr. MULLIGAN from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reported same on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, amended, relating to the destruction of fish in tidal waters, by means of dynamite or poisonous or stupefying substances."

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolve ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. RICKER from the Committee on Education reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 195 of the Private Laws of 1887, as amended by Chapter 333 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, relating to the manner of choosing the members of the Board of Education for the City of Waterville."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act relating to holidays," reported that legislation thereon is inexpedient.

Mr. DAVIS from the Committee on Interior Waters reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to authorize Enos Sawyer, Jr., of Seboeis Plantation, to maintain booms, stop and sort logs and lumber in Seboeis Stream, Seboeis Plantation, Penobscot County."

Mr. BLAKE from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act in regard to lamps upon motor boats," reported that legislation thereon is inexpedient.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 54 of the Revised Statutes, in relation to exemption of fees for steamboat inspection and for licenses."

Mr. GREATON from the Somerset County Delegation reported same on Bill "An Act to abolish the Western Somerset Municipal Court."

Mr. FAY from the Committee on Taxation, on Petition of Remi A. Daigle and nine others of Madawaska, that the law

exempting mortgages from taxation be amended so as to make same taxable, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Resolve increasing the retirement pay of Thomas Clark (Senate Document No. 84),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, read second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Commissioners of Pharmacy for equipment and also for the liquidation of certain deficiencies (Senate Document No. 258),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Resolve read the second time, and, on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending passage to be engrossed.

Bill "An Act to authorize the Municipal Light and Power Company to decrease its capital stock" (Senate Document No. 264);

Bill "An Act to amend, revive and extend the charter of the Stratton Water Company" (Senate Document No. 265);

Bill "An Act authorizing the building and maintenance of a dyke in the town of Milbridge" (Senate Document No. 266);

Resolve appropriating money for the maintenance of lights along the narrows connecting the Upper and Lower Richardson Lakes (Senate Document No. 267);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 69 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the duration of attachments" (House Document No. 548);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, Resolve read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to fees received by Clerks of Courts in naturalization proceedings" (House Document No. 549),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and, on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending third reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 84 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings on demurrers" (House Document No. 550);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 23 of Chapter 18 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 26 of the Public Laws of 1907, and Chapter 40 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the State Laboratory of Hygiene" (House Document No. 551);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 211 of the Public Laws of 1913, regulating the sale of morphine and other hypnotic or narcotic drugs" (House Document No. 552);

Bill "An Act to prevent milk-borne outbreaks of infectious diseases" (House Document No. 553);

Bill "An Act to authorize the removal of bodies of deceased persons from the Guilford Cemetery, on the highway leading from Guilford Village to Foxcroft, in the town of Guilford" (House Document No. 554);

Resolve in favor of an epidemic or emergency fund (House Document No. 555);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Brewer Water Company, as amended by Chapter 170 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913" (House Document No. 556);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, Resolve read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to extend the time within which the Farmington-Oakland Railway shall actually commence business" (House Document No. 558),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and, on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending third reading.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Bluehill Water Company" (House Document No. 559);

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the People's Ferry Company" (House Document No. 560);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 20 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act authorizing the town of Caribou to accept a certain legacy'" (House Document No. 561);

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Millinocket to own and maintain an electric lighting and power plant" (House Document No. 562);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Bent's Pond, so called, in the town of New Sharon, in Franklin County, and in the town of Vienna, in Kennebec County" (House Document No. 563);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the use of firearms upon Megunticook Lake and adjacent waters and tributaries thereof, in Knox and Waldo Counties, and upon the shores thereof" (House Document No. 564);

Resolve authorizing the State Treasurer to procure a temporary loan for the year 1915 (House Document No. 565);

Resolve authorizing the State Treasurer to procure a temporary loan for the year 1916 (House Document No. 566);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the Davis Ponds, in Guilford and Willi-

mantic, in the County of Piscataquis" (House Document No. 567);

Resolve in favor of the Maine School for the Deaf (House Document No. 568);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in certain waters in Oxford County" (House Document No. 569);

Resolve in favor of the Bath Military and Naval Orphan Asylum of Bath, Maine (House Document No. 570);

Bill "An Act relating to the payment of legacies" (House Document No. 571);

Bill "An Act to punish escapes from jail" (House Document No. 572);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 186 of the Public Laws of 1907, and by Chapter 22 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the presentation of claims against estates" (House Document No. 573);

Bill "An Act making it unlawful for persons to falsely represent themselves as deaf, dumb, blind, crippled or otherwise defective" (House Document No. 574);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes, relating to compensations of fish wardens" (House Document No. 576);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 380 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the taking of lobsters and setting lobster traps in the waters of Gouldsboro and other towns" (House Document No. 577);

Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in certain waters of Hancock County" (House Document No. 578);

Bill "An Act to repeal Special Law 1895, Chapter 288, entitled 'An Act relating to the use of purse and drag seines in the Georges River'" (House Document No. 579);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 47 of the Revised Statutes, relating to returns of lists of stockholders in banks to the Secretary of State" (House Document No. 580);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 63 of the Public Laws of 1907, providing for filing lists of heirs in the Registry of Deeds" (House Document No. 581);

Bill "An Act relating to crossings of rights of way of railroads organized under Chapter 53 of the Revised Statutes" (House Document No. 582);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 19 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to obstruction of the drainage of public ways" (House Document No. 584);

Bill "An Act to provide for the convenience of travelers upon electric cars" (House Document No. 497);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Fifteen of Chapter Sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Thirty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to Jurisdiction of the Probate Courts.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Tilton, David and Basin Ponds, in the Town of Fayette, in the County of Kennebec.

An Act to Amend Paragraph Nine of Section Thirteen of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Taxation of Personal Property Held by Religious Societies.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing Through the Ice in Brewer Pond, in the Counties of Penobscot and Hancock.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Big Indian Pond, in the Town of St. Albans in the County of Somerset.

An Act to Amend Section Seventeen of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Number of Weeks that Schools Shall Be Maintained Annually.

An Act to Amend Section Six of Chapter One Hundred Eighty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to Industrial Courses in Evening Schools.

An Act to Amend Section One Hundred Ten of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Course of Study in the State Normal Schools.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Two of the Public Laws of One Thousand Nine Hundred Eleven, Providing for a Close Time on Scallops.

An Act to Incorporate the Trustees of Saint Joseph's Academy and College for Women.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Protection of Fish, Game and Birds on the Southerly Point of Swan Island, in the Town of Perkins, in the County of Sagadahoc.

An Act to Amend Chapter Thirteen of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Three of the Private and Special Laws of

Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Entitled, "An Act to Create the Bingham Water District."

An Act to Regulate the Construction of Mausoleums or Tombs to be Used for Permanent Burial.

An Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred and One of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Guilford Water District."

An Act to Amend Sections Nineteen and Twenty of Chapter Sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Bond and Records of the Registers of Probate.

An Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred Nineteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Payment of Deposits in the Names of Two Persons by Banks, Institutions for Savings, Trust Companies, and Loan and Building Associations.

An Act for the Relief of the Needy Blind Residents of Maine.

An Act to Amend Section Six of Chapter Forty-four of the Revised Statutes, Providing a Penalty for Neglect of Duty by Local Sealers of Weights and Measures.

An Act to Consolidate Sections Fourteen and Thirty-eight of Chapter Forty of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Penalty for Unlawful Use of Containers Marked with Registered Devices, and to Amend Section Thirty-nine of said Chapter, Relating to Search Warrants Therefor.

An Act Providing for Pensions to Employees of the City of Bangor.

An Act to Amend the Charters of the Thomaston Street Railway Company, the Rockland Street Railway Company, and the Camden and Rockport Street Railroad Company.

An Act to Amend Chapter Sixty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Qualifications of Insurance Agents and Brokers.

An Act Prohibiting the Rebating of Premiums on Fire or Liability Insurance.

An Act Requiring that Adjusters of Fire Losses be Licensed.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Mary Allen.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Clarence M. Smith.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Eliza E. Philbrook.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Alonzo J. Nevers.

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to Amend Section 5 of Chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the office of County Treasurer" (House Document No. 410),

Which was tabled March 2 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GILMOUR of Westbrook,

Was read the third time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to equalize salaries of County Attorneys" (Senate Document No. 152),

Which was tabled March 2 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of County Treasurers" (Senate Document No. 154),

Which was tabled March 2 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GILMOUR of Westbrook,

Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and, on further motion of the same gentleman,

The Bill was read the third time, passed to be engrossed as amended, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to the salary of the Governor" (House Document No. 371),

Which was tabled March 2 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
House Amendment "A" was adopted, and, on further motion
of same gentleman,

The Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed
as amended, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to remuneration of deputy sheriffs"
(House Document No. 405),

Which was tabled March 3 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. HILL of Corinth, moved indefinite postponement.

Discussion ensued.

On motion of Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham,
The previous question was ordered.

It was ordered that a vote be taken by yeas and nays.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Corliss	Lewis	Russell (Alfred)
Currier	Libby	Smith
Davis	Meador	Tate
Edwards	Perham	Wasgatt
Goodwin	Pierce (Farm'gton)	Wilkins
Hanson (Sanford)	Plummer	Wilson—20
Hill	Roberts	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Besse	Brawn
Allen	Blake (New Gl'ster)	Brown (Auburn)
Ames	Blake (Oakland)	Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)
Averill	Bonney	Bussey
Ballard	Bourque	Campbell
Beal	Bradbury	Carson
Benn	Bragdon	Chadbourne
Bernier	Brann	Chamberlin

Clement	Harper	Peterson
Clifford	Hart	Picher
Cobb	Haskell	Pierce (Houlton)
Coffin	Higgins	Pollard
Colcord	Hobbs	Ranney
Connellan	Hodgkins	Ricker
Daigle	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Ryder
Danforth	Holt (Skowhegan)	St. Clair (Calais)
Descoteaux	Jameson	St. Clair (Rockland)
Dilling	Jordan	Sanborn
Douglass	Lawrence	Small
Drapeau	Leader	Snow
Drummond	Lombard	Tabbutt
Durgain	Lord	Thibodeau
Dutton	Mansir	Thombs
Ellis	McCarty	Tobey
Erskine	McCorrison	Towle
Evans	McCurdy	Trafton
Fay	McIntire	Turner
Ford	McKinley	Tuttle
Fossett	Michaud	Ward
Gerrish	Millett	Washburn
Gilmour	Mitchell	Watts
Goldthwait	Morse	Webb
Gooding	Mulligan	Welch
Gould	Mullin	Wescott
Grant	Neilon	Wheeler
Greaton	Newell	Wise
Greeley	Nicholas	Woodman
Greenlaw	Noyes	Wyman—118
Greenleaf	Peabbles	
Hanson (Saco)	Perkins	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Chaplin	Littlefield	O'Connell
Connors	Maxwell	Robinson
Gallagher	McNally	Varney
Haraden	Morrison	Waterhouse—12

Hence the motion to indefinitely postpone the bill was lost.

On further motion of the same gentleman,
Bill was read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to County Law Libraries" (House Document No. 407),
Which was tabled March 3 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HILL of Corinth,
Was read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to salaries of Registers of Deeds" (Senate Document No. 149),
Which was tabled March 3 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Was read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to salaries of Clerks of Courts" (Senate Document No. 160),
Which was tabled March 3 pending second reading,
On motion of same gentleman,
Was read the second time, and tomorrow assigned.

Report of the Committee on Labor, on Bill "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors" (House Document No. 328),
Which was tabled March 10 pending acceptance of report,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PERKINS of Augusta,
Was taken from the table out of order.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,
The report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,
Bill was read twice.

Mr. FAY of Dexter offered House Amendment "A," and

moved that the Bill be tabled pending printing of House Amendment "A," and assigned for Wednesday.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

Moved to amend the motion of Mr. FAY by striking out the word "Wednesday," and inserting the word "Friday."

Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln

Moved to further amend said motion by striking out the word "Wednesday," and inserting the word "Tuesday."

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

Withdrew his amendment.

Mr. FAY of Dexter,

Substituted the word "Tuesday" for "Wednesday" in his motion.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Moved to amend the motion of Mr. FAY of Dexter, by inserting the word "Friday" instead of the word "Tuesday."

On request of Mr. WARD of Augusta.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Ames	Currier	Greeley
Averill	Davis	Greenlaw
Ballard	Descoteaux	Greenleaf
Benn	Dilling	Haskell
Bernier	Douglass	Hill
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Drapeau	Hodgkins
Bourque	Durgain	Holt (Skowhegan)
Brawn	Edwards	Jordan
Brown (Auburn)	Evans	Lawrence
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Fossett	Leader
Campbell	Gallagher	Lewis
Chadbourne	Gerrish	Libby
Clifford	Goldthwait	Lord
Colcord	Gooding	Mansir
Connellan	Goodwin	McCarty
Corliss	Gould	McCorrison

McCurdy	Picher	Tate
McIntire	Pierce (Farm'gton)	Thibodeau
Michaud	Pierce (Houlton)	Trafton
Millett	Plummer	Turner
Morse	Pollard	Ward
Mulligan	Robinson	Wasgatt
Mullin	Russell (Lewiston)	Watts
Neilon	Ryder	Webb
Newell	St. Clair (Calais)	Welch
Noyes	St. Clair (Rockland)	Wescott
O'Connell	Sanborn	Wilkins
Peabbles	Small	Wilson
Perham	Smith	Woodman
Perkins	Tabbutt	Wyman—90

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Dutton	McKinley
Beal	Ellis	Meader
Besse	Erskine	Mitchell
Blake (Oakland)	Fay	Morrison
Bonney	Ford	Nicholas
Bradbury	Gilmour	Peterson
Bragdon	Grant	Ranney
Brann	Greaton	Ricker
Bussey	Hanson (Saco)	Roberts
Carson	Hanson (Sanford)	Russell (Alfred)
Chamberlin	Harper	Snow
Clement	Hart	Thombs
Cobb	Higgins	Tobey
Coffin	Hobbs	Towle
Daigle	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Tuttle
Danforth	Jameson	Washburn
Drummond	Lombard	Wise—51

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Allen	Littlefield	Varney
Chaplin	Maxwell	Waterhouse
Connors	McNally	Wheeler—10
Haraden		

So the Amendment was carried, and the Bill was laid on the table pending third reading, and Friday assigned.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The Clerk of the House was instructed to send the Amendment to the printer immediately after adjournment.

Bill "An Act relating to salaries of sheriffs" (Senate Document No. 148),

Which was tabled March 3 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The House voted not to concur in the adoption of Senate Amendment "B."

On motion of Mr. BROWN of Auburn,
The House adjourned until 4.30 this afternoon.

AFTER RECESS.

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,
On Bill "An Act relating to the salaries of Registers of Deeds" (Senate Document No. 149),

Which was tabled March 3 pending third reading, and which came up by assignment,

Vote was reconsidered by which Bill was passed to be engrossed.

On further motion of same gentleman,
Vote was reconsidered by which it was read the third time.

On further motion of same gentleman,
Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. DOUGLASS of Webster,
House adopted Senate Amendment "B," and tomorrow assigned.

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,
Voted to reconsider the vote by which the House voted not

to concur with the Senate in adoption of Senate Amendment "B" to Senate Document No. 148, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the House voted to concur with the Senate in adoption of Senate Amendment "B." It was then read a second time as amended, and tomorrow assigned.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Order requesting Senate to return House Resolve No. 108,
Which was tabled March 9 pending passage,
Was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
Order requesting Senate to return House Resolve No. 110,
Which was tabled March 9 pending passage,
Received its passage.

On motion of Mr. BRANN of Winthrop,
Report from the Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill
"An Act to equalize the salaries of County Commissioners,"
was accepted in concurrence. It was then read twice, and tomorrow assigned.

Resolve appropriating money for reconstruction of Lord
Bridge in Frankfort,
Which was tabled March 9 pending final passage,

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Was retabled, and assigned for March 18.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing highway in
Otisfield,
Which was tabled March 9 pending final passage,

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Was re-tabled, and assigned for March 18.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in construction of bridge
across Sebec River in Milo,
Which was tabled March 9 pending final passage,
Was taken from the table, and, on motion of same gentleman,
Was re-tabled, and assigned for March 18.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in reconstruction of bridge in Montville,

Which was tabled March 9 pending final passage,
Was taken from the table, and, on motion of same gentleman,
Was re-tabled, and assigned for March 18.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in rebuilding a road through Lowell's Woods in the town of Penobscot,

Which was tabled March 9 pending final passage,
Was taken from the table, and, on motion of same gentleman,
Was re-tabled, and assigned for March 18.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a bridge across Mattagoodus Stream in the Plantation of Webster, in Penobscot County,

Which was tabled March 9 pending final passage,
Was taken from the table, and, on motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Was re-tabled, and assigned for March 18.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing the New Kenduskeag Road in the town of Glenburn and providing for its future maintenance,

Which was tabled March 9 pending final passage,
Was taken from the table, and, on motion of same gentleman,
Was re-tabled, and assigned for March 18.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a bridge across Kenduskeag Stream in the town of Corinth,

Which was tabled March 9 pending final passage,
Was taken from the table, and, on motion of same gentleman,
Was re-tabled, and assigned for March 18.

Resolve appropriating money to aid the town of Forest City in repairing and reconstructing a bridge,

Which was tabled March 9 pending final passage,
Was taken from the table, and, on motion of same gentleman,
Was re-tabled, and assigned for March 18.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing the Machiasport and East Machias Bridge,

Which was tabled March 9 pending final passage,

Was taken from the table, and, on motion of same gentleman,
Was re-tabled, and assigned for March 18.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the repair and maintenance of the Gardiner and Randolph Bridge,
Which was tabled March 9 pending final passage,
Was taken from the table, and, on motion of same gentleman,
Was re-tabled, and assigned for March 18.

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro,
The report of the Committee on Towns reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to divide the town of Bristol and to incorporate the town of South Bristol," was accepted, and ordered printed under joint rules.

Ordered, That the Clerk of the House be directed to prepare a schedule of Acts and Resolves carrying an appropriation or involving the expenditure of money, including all of such Acts and Resolves as have already received the signature of the Governor, such as have been reported to the House or Senate, and such as are now pending before committees. Said schedule shall be printed and a copy thereof laid on the desk of each member, on or before March 16.

The Clerk is authorized to procure and pay for any assistance necessary to the preparation of such a schedule, and the Secretary of each Committee is hereby instructed to forthwith prepare a statement of such work of his Committee as would be of use in preparing such a schedule, and file the same with the Clerk.

This order received a passage.

On motion of Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham,
Resolve in favor of the Maine State Library, under suspension of rules, was introduced out of order, and referred to the Committee on Library.

On motion of Mr. POLLARD of Solon,
Resolve in favor of State Highway Commission, was introduced under suspension of rules, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that the Commissioners of

Inland Fisheries and Game cause to be compiled in convenient form, the Inland Fish and Game Laws, including all such laws passed by this Legislature, and that not exceeding 20,000 copies be printed for general distribution, and the Governor is authorized to draw his warrant for the payment of the same on the amount appropriated for the purpose of operating the fish hatcheries and feeding stations for fish and for the protection of fish, game and birds, and for printing the report of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game.

On motion of Mr. GOODWIN of Mexico,
The Order had a passage.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Bill "An Act relating to the payment of salaries of Judges of Probate" (Senate Document No. 223),
Which was tabled March 5 pending third reading,
Was taken from the table, read the third time, passed to be engrossed.

On motion of same gentleman,
Resolve in favor of Gorham P. Grant, for refund of money paid in lieu of military service in the late War of the Rebellion (Senate Document No. 218),
Which was tabled March 5,
Was taken from the table, and read the second time.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
Voted to indefinitely postpone consideration of this Resolve.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Report of the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls on Bill "An Act to establish a reformatory for women" was accepted.

On further motion of same gentleman,
Bill was read twice, and, on further motion of same gentleman,

Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and tomorrow assigned.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of the Registers of Probate" (Senate Document No. 150),

Which was tabled March 9 pending passage to be engrossed,
Was taken from the table.

The same gentleman offered House Amendment "A," and on further motion of same gentleman,

Bill was tabled pending consideration of the Amendment, and tomorrow assigned.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

Bill "An Act in favor of the union of the towns of Dover and Foxcroft in one municipality" (House Document No. 575),

Which was tabled March 10 pending second reading,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, read the second time, and tomorrow assigned.

On motion of Mr. PERKINS of Augusta,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Friday.

FORTUNAT BELLEAU,
Clerk, pro tem.

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, March 12, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Mr. Mosher of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve to provide for a revision of the laws relating to banks and banking,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Bill "An Act to correct certain clerical errors in, and to amend, Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to Inland Fisheries and Game,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Bill "An Act to change the name of the Board of Trade of Portland,"

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

The Bill was received, took its three readings and was passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules.

Report from the Committee on Education reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Madawaska Training School for the construction and furnishing of a suitable dormitory building (Senate Document No. 129);

Report from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting same on Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a bridge across Sourdabscook Stream in the town of Hampden, and providing for the future maintenance thereof (Senate Document No. 288);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Resolves read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Report from Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve appropriating money to aid in rebuilding a bridge in the town of Cutler (Senate Document No. 287);

Report from the Committee on Education reporting "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Maine Teachers' Association to assist in the publication of bulletins and a journal of proceedings.

Report from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Remonstrance of Emery Hall and 64 others against the enactment of a law against snaring foxes in the towns of Lu-

bec, Trescott, Whiting and Cutler, reporting that the same be placed on file.

Report from the same Committee reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to prohibit the use of firearms in the town of Addison."

Report from the Committee on Salaries and Fees reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 119 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the compensation of County Attorneys."

Report from the Committee on Taxation reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, relating to taxation, as amended by Chapter 179 of the Public Laws of 1911.

Report from the same Committee on Resolution of Aroostook County Pomona Grange against the passage of the Bill exempting neat stock from taxation.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Bill "An Act entitled 'An Act to create a State fund to be known as the State Contingent Fund;'"

Bill "An Act to establish in Bangor, Maine, a home for convalescents and incurables;"

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to provide for the confirmation of the enforcement of Deputy Sheriffs;"

Bill "An Act to provide for the disposition of contraband liquors;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 54 of Chapter 125 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the appointment of cruelty agents;"

Were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Petition of Melvin S. Hutchins, pastor of Federated Church, Phillips, Maine, for a State reformatory for women,

Was accepted and placed on file.

Resolve providing for steel filing cases in the office of the State Treasurer,

Was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Bill "An Act to provide for plugging lobsters,"

Was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Bill "An Act for the temporary licensing of automobiles and motor vehicles,"

Was referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to the removal of nests of the brown-tail moth within the limits of the highway."

Mr. HIGGINS from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported same on Resolve in favor of H. E. Nicholas, Secretary Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Fortunat O. Michaud, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. RICKER from the Committee on Education, on Resolve in favor of Higgins Classical Institute, Charleston, Maine, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Lee Academy for liquidation of its dormitory indebtedness, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Ricker Classical Institute, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Westbrook Seminary for a central heating plant at said Institution, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of Westbrook Seminary for payment of debt and furnishings for Alumni Hall, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of North Yarmouth Academy, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. SNOW from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Aroostook Central Institute at Mars Hill, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. RICKER from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the town of Rumford for the payment of additional State school funds for the year 1913, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of the town of Rumford for the payment of a claim for State common school fund for the year 1913, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Limerick Academy, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Bridgewater Classical Academy.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Somerset Academy in the town of Athens.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Lee Academy for maintenance.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 73 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the examination of pupils entering school after absence on account of sickness."

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to provide for professional supervision of schools of remotely situated plantations."

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Simpson Pond, so called, in the town of Roque Bluffs, in the County of Washington, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Petition of C. E. Wilson and 37 others, residents of Kennebec County, asking that Fifteen Mile Stream and its tributaries be closed to trout fishing for four years, reported a Bill, entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Fifteen Mile Stream and its tributaries in the County of Kennebec, and in the County of Waldo," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. PIERCE from the Committee on Judiciary reported same on Bill "An Act to authorize the Electric System Corporation of Edmundston, N. B., to exercise certain powers in this State."

Mr. THIBODEAU from the Committee on Library reported same on Resolve relating to documentary history of Maine.

Mr. McINTIRE from the Committee on Salaries and Fees reported same on Bill "An Act to provide for salary for the turnkey or jailer for the County of Oxford."

Mr. WELCH from same Committee, on Bill "An Act relative to the salaries of the subordinate officers of the House of Representatives," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. DANFORTH from the Committee on School for Feeble Minded reported same on Resolve for the construction of a power and central heating plant at the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of improving roads through the property of the School for Feeble Minded in the towns of Pownal, North Yarmouth, Gray and New Gloucester.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve providing for fencing around the new water supply at the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve providing for additional laundry equipment at the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve providing for permanent outside service extension to present and proposed new buildings at the Maine School for Feeble Minded, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve for the full support of all State charges at the Maine School for Feeble Minded, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. McCURDY from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act regulating the taking of clams in the town of Lamoine."

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in the waters of Jonesboro and Roque Bluffs, in Washington County."

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in Machias Bay and adjacent waters in the County of Washington."

Mr. WYMAN from the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation, on Bill "An Act for the protection of forests on the island of Mount Desert," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 15 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 34 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the protection of trees and shrubs from the introduction and ravages of dangerous insects and diseases."

Mr. RICKER from the Committee on Education reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1907, and Chapter 148 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the conveyance of common school pupils."

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Otto Nelson of Bangor.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to establish a normal school to be located at Dexter in the County of Penobscot," reported that the same be referred to the next Legislature.

Mr. WATERHOUSE from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to regulate the fees of sheriffs and their deputies."

Mr. DANFORTH from the Committee on School for Feeble Minded reported same on Resolve for the construction of a bridge across Collyer Brook below the dam at the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Resolve for the construction of concrete walks at the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Mr. DAIGLE from the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation, on Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey whatever interest the State has in and to certain island in the South Bay in Eastern Grand Lake, in Washington County, reported "ought not to pass," as the subject matter is covered by another Bill.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act for the prevention of forest fires."

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 211 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, as amended by Chapter 101 of the Laws of 1909, relating to salaries of Judge and Recorder of Bangor Municipal Court;"

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 56 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, entitled 'An Act to regulate the use of certain roads in the town of Bluehill'" (House Document No. 588);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 38 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the closed season on wild hares or rabbits" (House Document No. 589);

Bill "An Act to repeal certain Private and Special Laws relating to use of motor boats in hunting sea birds, duck and water fowl on the coast of Maine" (House Document No. 590);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the hunting of water fowl and other wild birds in Back Bay, so called, in Portland" (House Document No. 591);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 281 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 120 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the protection of Golden Eye, or Whistler" (House Document No. 592);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 373 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the protection of ducks in Lincoln County" (House Document No. 593);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Lake Kezar, in the towns of Lovell, Stoneham and Stow, in Oxford County" (House Document No. 594);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Tufts, Dutton and Grindstone Ponds, in

the town of Kingfield, Franklin County" (House Document No. 595);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Oversett Pond, in the town of Greenwood, Oxford County" (House Document No. 596);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Upper and Lower Wilson Ponds, in the County of Piscataquis" (House Document No. 597);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Lake Kezar and in the tributaries to Kezar River, in the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 598);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of smelts in Bryant's Pond and tributaries, in the towns of Woodstock and Greenwood, Oxford County" (House Document No. 599);

Bill "An Act authorizing the towns of Mexico and Rumford in the County of Oxford to purchase the toll bridge between said towns, erected and owned by the Mexico Bridge Company" (House Document No. 601);

Resolve to appropriate \$500 for the construction of approaches to the State Ferry at Eggemoggin Reach (House Document No. 602);

Resolve in favor of replanking and repainting bridge between East Millinocket and Medway (House Document No. 603);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the Lake Road in Oxford County (House Document No. 604);

Resolve in favor of aid in building a highway bridge across

Sandy River in the town of New Sharon, Franklin County (House Document No. 605);

Resolve continuing unexpended appropriation relative to Fort Kent Bridge (House Document No. 606);

Resolve in favor of building a bridge across the Mattawamkeag River, in the town of Haynesville, in the County of Arostook (House Document No. 607);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 163 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the hunting of water fowl and wild birds in Back Bay, Portland" (House Document No. 608);

Resolve to promote and assist the interests of poultry culture (House Document No. 609);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to dogs" (House Document No. 610);

Resolve making appropriations for the construction of buildings at the University of Maine (House Document No. 611);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 49 of the Private and Special Laws of 1899, as relating to the policeman of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians" (House Document No. 612);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to the place for bringing actions" (House Document No. 613);

Bill "An Act authorizing Seboeis Plantation to build and maintain its roads and bridges and to raise money therefor" (House Document No. 614);

Bill "An Act to change the name of the Maine Baptist Missionary Convention and to unite with it the Maine Baptist Education Society and the Maine Baptist Charitable Society" (House Document No. 615);

Bill "An Act authorizing Barnard Plantation to build and maintain its roads and bridges and to raise money therefor" (House Document No. 616);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act to create a Public Utilities Commission, prescribe its powers and duties, and provide for the regulation and control of Public Utilities'" (House Document No. 617);

Resolve in favor of Hon. D. D. Stewart of St. Albans (House Document No. 618);

Bill "An Act to revive and extend the powers of the Kingman Developing Company" (House Document No. 619);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Libby Homestead Corporation (House Document No. 620);

Bill "An Act confirming the official acts of Frank D. Fenderson, acting as Register of Deeds for York County" (House Document No. 621);

Resolve in favor of a history of Pemaquid, of Bristol (House Document No. 622);

Bill "An Act to provide for the care and treatment of tubercular persons" (House Document No. 623);

The foregoing Bills were read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading, and the foregoing Resolves read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of county commissioners" (Senate Document No. 146),

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Was tabled and assigned for Wednesday.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of sheriffs" (Senate Document No. 148),

Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland offered House Amendment "A,"

On motion of same gentleman,

The Bill was tabled and assigned for Wednesday.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of registers of deeds" (Senate Document No. 149),

Was read the third time and passed to be engrossed, as amended by Senate Amendments "A" and "B." It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of the clerks of the Judicial Courts" (Senate Document No. 160),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
Was tabled, and assigned for March 17.

Bill "An Act to establish a State reformatory for women" (Senate Document No. 215),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Raymond Fish Hatchery (Senate Document No. 279);

Bill "An Act to ratify, confirm and make valid the proceedings of the First Congregational Parish of Kittery" (Senate Document No. 280);

Resolve in favor of an appropriation to complete the historical record of Maine men serving in the United States Navy during the War for the suppression of the Rebellion, 1861-1865 (Senate Document No. 281);

Bill "An Act to abolish the office of city solicitor of the city of Portland, and to create the office of corporation counsel of the city of Portland, and to determine his duties, tenure of office, and salary" (Senate Document No. 282);

Bill "An Act in favor of the union of the towns of Dover and Foxcroft as one municipality" (Senate Document No. 575);

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third

time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Farmington and Augusta Railway Company;

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Forty-four of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section Three of Chapter One Hundred and Sixteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Local Sealers of Weights and Measures;

An Act Amending Section One of Chapter Sixty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-one, Relating to the Limerock Railroad Company and Conferring Certain Additional Rights, Powers and Privileges upon Said Company;

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-five of Chapter Seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Fixing of the Time within Which Exceptions and Motions for New Trials May Be Filed in Civil and Criminal Cases;

An Act to Amend Section Twenty of Chapter Sixty-seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Distribution of Personal Estate;

An Act to Amend Section Seventy-one of Chapter Eighty-three of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relative to the Release or Discharge of Attachments;

An Act to Amend Sections Three and Ten of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-five, Relating to the Bangor Municipal Court;

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter One Hundred Sixty-Six of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Eighty-seven Entitled, "An Act Creating the Fort Fairfield Village Corporation," as Amended by Chapter Three Hundred Three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, and as Amended by Chapters One Hundred Sixteen and Two

Hundred Ten of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Forty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine and as Amended by Chapter Fifty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen;

An Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter One Hundred Sixteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Fifty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred Eighty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred Eighteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Compensation of the Members of the Legislature;

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Fifty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Forty, Relating to the Franklin County Agricultural Society;

An Act to Amend Section Six of Chapter Forty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Discharge of Inmates of the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

An Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter Forty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Sixty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to Commitments to the Maine School for Feeble Minded by Judges of Probate;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Improving a Highway in Caratunk Plantation;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing and Altering the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in the Construction of a Road in the Town of Moscow;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Repair the Bridges Across

Northeast Brook and Canoe Brook in Township Number Twenty-nine, Middle Division, in Washington County.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Repair Mopang Bridge in Township Number Thirty, Middle Division, in Washington County;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Towns of Whitneyville and Marshfield and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid the Town of Trescott in Repairing its Highways;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge across the South Branch of Dead River in the Plantation of Dallas;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Repair a Bridge in the Town of Addison;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Rebuilding Spruce Head Bridge in the Town of South Thomaston;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Lucy A. Owens;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Partially Reimburse the Town of Deblois for Money Expended in Building a Bridge;

Resolve in Favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for Permanent Improvements and Repairs;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

These Resolves were tabed, and assigned for March 18.

On motion of Mr. HILL of Corinth,

Was reconsidered vote by which House Document No. 307, relating to salaries of Judge and Recorder of Bangor Municipal Court, had its third reading assigned for tomorrow and on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabed, and assigned for March 17.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
Order requesting Senate to return House Document No.
110,

Had its passage reconsidered.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The order was then indefinitely postponed.

Resolve in favor of monuments in memory of Benedict Arnold's expedition through Maine to Quebec (House Document No. 483),

Which was tabled March 10 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. DRUMMOND of Winslow, moved to indefinitely postpone the Resolve.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais called for a division, which was had, and the vote to indefinitely postpone the Resolve prevailed by a vote of 99 to 16.

Bill "An Act relative to employment of women and minors" (House Document No. 328),

Which was tabled March 11, pending first reading,

Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

House Document No. 495 was declared to be a reprint of House Document No. 328 with Amendments "A," "B" and "C."

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

The number in the title line of House Document No. 328 was changed to read "495."

On motion of same gentleman,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the number in the title line of House Document No. 328 was changed to read "495."

Same gentleman then moved to amend House Document No. 328 by changing number in title line as above indicated, but subsequently withdrew his motion.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

It was voted that House Document No. 495, without amendments, be substituted for and constitute House Document No. 328, "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors" its parliamentary status to remain unchanged.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PERKINS of Augusta called for the yeas and nays on the vote on the adoption of House Amendment "A," and the House so ordered.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Evans	Ranney
Benn	Fay	Sanborn
Bonney	Ford	Snow
Brann	Hanson (Saco)	Thombs
Cobb	Hanson (Sanford)	Tobey
Daigle	Higgins	Washburn
Danforth	Hill	Wise—21

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Allen	Clement	Gallagher
Ames	Clifford	Gerrish
Averill	Coffin	Gilmour
Ballard	Colcord	Goldthwait
Beal	Connellan	Gooding
Bernier	Corliss	Goodwin
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Currier	Gould
Blake (Oakland)	Davis	Grant
Bourque	Descoteaux	Greaton
Bradbury	Dilling	Greeley
Bragdon	Douglass	Greenlaw
Brawn	Drapeau	Greenleaf
Brown (Auburn)	Drummond	Haraden
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Durgain	Harper
Bussey	Dutton	Hart
Campbell	Edwards	Haskell
Carson	Ellis	Hobbs
Chadbourne	Erskine	Hodgkins
Chamberlain	Fossett	Holt (Skowhegan)

Jameson	Mullin	Small
Jordan	Neilon	Smith
Lawrence	Newell	Tabbutt
Leader	Nicholas	Tate
Lewis	Noyes	Thibodeau
Libby	O'Connell	Towle
Lombard	Peabbles	Trafton
Lord	Perham	Turner
Mansir	Perkins	Tuttle
McCarty	Peterson	Varney
McCorrison	Picher	Ward
McCurdy	Pierce (Farmington)	Wasgatt
McKinley	Pierce (Houlton)	Watts
Meador	Plummer	Webb
Michaud	Pollard	Welch
Millett	Ricker	Wescott
Mitchell	Russell (Alfred)	Wilkins
Morrison	Russell (Lewiston)	Wilson
Morse	St. Clair (Calais)	Woodman
Mulligan	St. Clair (Rockland)	Wyman—117

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Besse	Maxwell	Ryder
Chaplin	McIntire	Waterhouse
Connors	McNally	Wheeler—13
Holt (Gouldsboro)	Roberts	
Littlefield	Robinson	

Hence House Amendment "A" was not adopted.

On motion of Mr. FAY of Dexter,

The Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed.

It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of Registers of Probate"
(Senate Document No. 150),

Which was tabled March 11,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston, offered House Amendment
"B," and moved its adoption, and it was accordingly adopted.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Bill was tabled, and assigned for Wednesday, March 17.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,
Was reconsidered the vote by which Senate Document No.
150 was just tabled and assigned.

Mr. GREENLEAF offered House Amendment "C," to the
Bill.

On further motion of same gentleman,
The Bill was tabled, and assigned for Wednesday, March 17.

On motion of Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham,
ORDERED, That the House congratulates its Clerk on his
complete recovery from his recent illness, and itself, that this
most competent official is again in the House assuming the
duties of his position.

The House wishes to express its appreciation of the work
of the Assistant Clerk during the absence of his Chief.

The clean cut and efficient manner in which he has performed
the exacting duties of his office in forwarding the business of
the House would reflect credit on any legislative body. The
House congratulates itself on its Assistant Clerk.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of Judges of Probate"
(Senate Document No. 151),

Which was tabled March 11, pending passage to be enacted,
and came up by assignment,

Had reconsidered the vote by which it was passed to be
engrossed.

Mr. MORSE of Rumford offered House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

House Amendment "A" was then adopted, and, on motion of
Mr. CONNELLAN, the Bill as amended by House Amend-
ment "A" was read the third time and passed to be engrossed.
It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon asked and obtained unanimous

consent to introduce a Bill out of order, and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act providing for enumeration of neat cattle, sheep and swine."

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled for printing, afterwards to be put upon its passage, the Committee on Taxation already having acted upon the matter.

Bill "An Act to prohibit the fishing for herring in Sheepscot River and its tributaries, by use of purse or drag seines within 2000 feet of any trap or weir" (Senate Document No. 175),

Which was tabled March 6, pending adoption of Senate Amendment "A," on motion of Mr. JAMESON of Friendship,

On motion of Mr. JORDAN of Baileyville,
Was taken from the table.

On motion of Mr. JAMESON of Friendship,

The rules were suspended, and was reconsidered the vote by which the House February 17 passed the Bill to be engrossed, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Bill "An Act relating to fees received by Clerks of Courts in naturalization proceedings" (House Document No. 549),

Which was tabled pending third reading, March 11,
Was taken from the table.

Mr. PLUMMER then yielded to Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln for explanation in regard to the Bill.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS, the Bill then received its third reading, and was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HOBBS of South Berwick,
Adjourned to nine o'clock tomorrow, Saturday.

C. C. HARVEY,

Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
SATURDAY, MARCH 13, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Burgess of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 181 of the Laws of 1911, relating to the practice of embalming and the transportation of the bodies of persons who have died of infectious diseases,"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 61 of the Revised Statutes, relating to marriage and the registration of vital statistics,"

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Judiciary.

Report of the Committee on Education reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 188 of the Public Laws of 1911 as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 37 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the appropriation for the encouragement of industrial education" (Senate Document No. 211);

Report of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Treasurer of State to enable him to properly balance and settle accounts with the various cities, towns and plantations for the year 1914 (Senate Document No. 293);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bill read twice, and accompanying Resolve read once, Tuesday assigned for third reading of Bill and second reading of Resolve.

ORDERED, The House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn it be to meet at 10 o'clock in the forenoon Tuesday, March 16, 1915.

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence. (Received out of order.)

Report of the same Committee reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to enable the State of Maine to balance and settle its accounts with the various municipalities of Maine on the first day of December of each year" (Senate Document No. 294);

Report of the Committee on Education reporting same on Resolve appropriating money for the publication and circulation of a school text in civics, local geography and local history (Senate Document No. 296);

Report of the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls reporting same on Bill "An Act to change the name of the Maine Industrial School for Girls, and to change the title of the principal thereof to that of superintendent" (Senate Document No. 297);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to repeal Section 25 of Chapter 143 of Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to the commitment of idle and vicious girls to the Maine Industrial School for Girls by parents and guardians" (Senate Document No. 298);

Report of the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting same on Resolve appropriating money to aid in rebuilding a bridge across the Denny River between the towns of Dennysville and Edmunds (Senate Document No. 299);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve appropriating money for the purpose of making surveys, plans and estimates for a new interstate bridge between Kittery, Maine, and Portsmouth, New Hampshire (Senate Document No. 300);

Report from the same Committee reporting same on Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing highway in the town

of Orneville and providing for the future maintenance thereof (Senate Document No. 301);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve appropriating money to repair the bridge across the Machias River in the town of Whitneyville (Senate Document No. 302);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bills read twice and accompanying Resolves read once, and Tuesday assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Fees reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide for the classification and compensation of clerical employees in State and County offices" (Senate Document No. 153),

Came from the Senate amended.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Bill was tabled pending second reading, after report had been accepted in concurrence and Bill read once, and assigned for Wednesday, March 17.

Report of the Committee on Agriculture reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911 as amended by Chapter 74 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to livestock" (House Document No. 340),

Came from the Senate recommitted in non-concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

The House voted to recommit the Bill in concurrence with the action of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was reconsidered the vote recommitting the Bill to the Committee on Agriculture, and, on further motion of same gentleman,

Was reconsidered the vote by which this Bill was passed to be engrossed. On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was then recommitted in concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

Report from the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance reporting same on Bill "An Act requiring reports from

property owners or occupants in case of fire and fixing the liability of owners or occupants under certain conditions" (House Document No. 379),

Came from the Senate indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was tabled and assigned for Wednesday, March 17.

Bill "An Act to provide for the convenience of travelers upon electric cars" (House Document No. 497),

Which was passed to be engrossed, March 11, in the House, as amended by House Amendment "A,"

Came from the Senate indefinitely postponed in nonconcurrency.

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden,

The Bill was tabled and assigned for Wednesday March 17.

Report of the Committee on Claims reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Gorham P. Grant for refund of money paid in lieu of military service in the late War of the Rebellion (Senate Document No. 218),

Which was indefinitely postponed in the House March 11,

Came from the Senate, that body insisting on its action of March 3, when it passed the Resolve to be engrossed, and asking for a conference, with the following conference committee named on the part of the Senate:

Messrs. Conant, Murphy and Bartlett.

On motion of Mr. McCORRISON of Appleton,

The House acceded to the request for a conference, the Speaker appointing the following as House members of the Committee on Conference:

Messrs. Connellan, St. Clair and Ames.

Report of the Committee on Education reporting "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of Nasson Institute toward the erection and equipment of a dormitory,

On motion of Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard,

The report was tabled pending acceptance, and assigned for Tuesday, March 16.

Report of the Committee on Insane Hospitals reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for repair and improvement of Chapel Building.

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for repairs on Chase Island Wharf.

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for renovating the heating and ventilating plant and installing a hot water circulating system in the central plant.

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes, in relation to the voluntary admission of patients to State Hospitals."

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital to appropriate \$5000 for the purchase of cows.

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for a machine shop and equipment.

Report of the Committee on School for Feeble Minded reporting same on Resolve providing for equipment and service connection of the proposed central kitchen and bakery and furnishings of dining rooms, at the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Report of the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation reporting same on Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to sell and convey whatever interest the State has in and to Potato Island, situated in Harrington, Washington County. The subject matter of this Resolve is covered in another Bill.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Ina E. Chadbourne.

Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5, Chapter 209, Public Laws 1913, entitled 'An Act to regulate the business of dealing in securities.'"

Was referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Bill "An Act to determine the approximate amount of money necessary to defray the expenses of the public service;"

Petition to establish a municipal court in the town of Presque Isle;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act amending Chapter 147 Public Laws 1913, relating to abolishment of grade crossings,"

Was referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture, on Resolve in favor of the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. WOODMAN from the Committee on Claims reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of The Forks Plantation.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the town of Mexico.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve reimbursing the town of Clifton for money paid to the State Treasurer as dog licenses in excess of the amount actually collected as such in said town for the year 1912.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Benjamin M. Jenness.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of William F. Mason of Wiscasset, Maine, for pay for Christmas trees.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the town of Pittsfield.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Joseph J. Roberts.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of relief of the heirs of Revolutionary soldiers.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Herbert L. Kimball, reported same in a new draft, under title of Resolve to authorize Herbert L. Kimball to bring a suit at law against the State of Maine for money claimed to be due him from the State, and that it ought to pass.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The report was tabled pending acceptance and for printing of new draft of Resolve, and assigned for Wednesday, March 17.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Deforest Keyes, reported same in new draft, under title of Resolve to authorize Deforest Keyes to bring suit at law or in equity against the State of Maine for money claimed to be due him from the State, and that it ought to pass.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The report was tabled pending acceptance and for printing of new draft of Resolve, and assigned for Wednesday, March 17.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Charles S. Pearl of Bangor, Maine, and Frederick J. Ranlett of Boston, Massachusetts, executors of the will of the late James C. Braman, to reimburse the estate of said James C. Braman for collateral inheritance tax erroneously assessed against said estate and paid by said executors, reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Edmund E. Gould, reported same in new draft under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the town of Castine for reimbursement of money spent in excess of a State road appropriation, reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Will T. Collins, Mary Collins and Alice A. Collins, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the town of Harmony, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Alfred Yankauer, reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Great Northern Paper Company, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. LOMBARD from the Committee on Commerce reported "ought to pass" on Resolve to provide for a celebration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the State of Maine, and the Three Hundredth Anniversary of the Landing of the Pilgrims.

Mr. RICKER from the Committee on Education on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 182 of the Public Laws of 1907, providing that flags shall be furnished to schools, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 48 of the Public Laws of 1905, and Chapter 122 of the Public Laws of 1913, in relation to accounting for and expenditure of school funds," reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee on Bill "An Act to amend Section 81 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to academies," reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve making an appropriation for general maintenance and support of the University of Maine, reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Van Buren College for the erection of a new building, reported same in new draft, under title of resolve in favor of Van Buren College for maintenance and equipment, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. BLAKE from the Committee on Interior Waters, on Resolve in favor of buoys and lights on Sebago Lake, Songo River, Bay of Naples and Long Lake, reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. CAMPBELL from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to authorize the Clark Power Company to increase its capital stock."

The same gentleman from the same Committee on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 481 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, entitled 'An Act to incorporate York Harbor Village Corporation,'" reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. LEWIS from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act providing for setting off debt of legatees and distributees against legacies and distributive shares."

Mr. HANSON from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the South Berwick Sewer Company."

Mr. CLIFFORD from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 65 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 10 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to burial expenses of war veterans."

Mr. HANSON from same Committee, reported in a new draft, under same title, Bill "An Act to authorize Mousan Water Company to increase its capital stock," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. CLIFFORD from same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 272 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, entitled 'An Act to amend the charter of the city of Belfast.'"

Mr. LEWIS from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, relating to town agent."

Mr. HILL from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to qualifications and duties of the inspectors of steamboats."

Mr. THOMBS from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Washington County Light and Power Company, as granted by Chapter 129 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. LEWIS from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to permit the town of North Haven to prohibit the use of automobiles within the limits of said town," reported same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to exclude automobiles from a branch road in the town of North Haven," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HANSON from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to incorporate Mount Pleasant Cemetery Corporation" reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. THIBODEAU from Committee on Library, on Bill "An Act in favor of an appropriation to restore the early records in the office of the Clerk of Courts for York County," reported that same ought to pass, with amendment.

Mr. DUTTON from the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act directing the Insurance Commissioner to abrogate the license of foreign insurance companies under certain conditions."

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions reported same on Resolve in favor of Susan E. Dawson of Monroe, Maine.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve providing a State pension for Charles H. Kelley.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Luella Darling for a State pension.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve providing a State pension for Frances H. Orrok.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Alice L. Gasper of Winthrop.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve providing a State pension for Arthur H. Murch.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Mary Harmon, Bangor, Maine.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Henry Golding for military pension.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Everett A. Record, Bryant's Pond, Maine.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Meldon Nealley of Brewer, Maine.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Mrs. Georgie S. Bates of Augusta.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Mary S. Hillman.

Mr. FOSSETT from the Portland Delegation reported same on Bill "An Act to establish the offices of Superintendent and Matron of the Portland City Home, and to determine the tenure of office of same."

Mr. ROBERTS from the same Delegation, on Bill "An Act relative to the granting of licenses by the municipal officers of the city of Portland," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Delegation, on Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of harbor masters for the harbor or Portland," reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. MICHAUD from the Committee on Public Health reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 25 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to supplies furnished to any person or family while placed in quarantine by the Board of Health."

Mr. GOLDTHWAIT from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 39 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to taking alewives by West Harbor Ice Company."

Mr. MULLIGAN from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 62 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act to protect cod and other ground fish in waters off the coast of Lincoln and Sagadahoc Counties,'" reported same in new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve for the purpose of providing and operating a patrol boat to be used in enforcing the laws relating to sea and shore fisheries, reported same in a new draft, under title of Resolve for the purpose of providing and operating patrol boats to be used in enforcing the laws relating to sea and shore fisheries, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. GOODING from the Committee on Taxation reported same on Bill "An Act to correct State Treasury Tax Records."

Mr. BALLARD from the Committee on Towns reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 139 of the Private and Special Laws of 1899, relating to the limits of the town of Dixfield."

Mr. GREELEY from same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Northport Village Corporation."

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the North Bridgton Village Corporation."

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. WHEELER from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to divide the town of Kennebunkport and incorporate the town of North Kennebunkport," reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

On motion of Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard,

The report was tabled pending acceptance and for the printing of new draft of Bill, and assigned for Wednesday, March 17.

Mr. GREELEY from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to disorganize Muscle Ridge Plantation, in the County of Knox," reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. DURGAIN from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Old Town-Milford Bridge.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of reimbursing the County of Penobscot for expenditures made in connection with the maintenance of the State bridge between Old Town and Milford, reported same in new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of reimbursing the County Commissioners of Penobscot County, for cost of repairs to the State bridge between the town of Old Town and Milford, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. COLCORD from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the construction of a bridge between the cities of Portland and South Portland, reported same in new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in constructing a bridge between the cities of Portland and South Portland, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bill and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of the United States for the inspection of potatoes, in the State of Maine, by the Government, under Federal inspection and regulations.

Mr. WOODMAN from the Committee on Claims reported same on Resolve in favor of the town of Castine for reimburse-

ment of money spent in support of Terence O'Riley, a State pauper.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Robert M. Gustin of Old Town.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve to reimburse the town of Aurora for \$86 for over-expenditure on the 1913 State Aid road.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of estate of A. J. Cameron.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported that the Petition of Fred Pierce and 17 others, asking that Jackman Plantation be reimbursed for \$155, be placed on file.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Thomas Hawkins, William H. Hawkins, Blanche Reynolds and Edward McWiggin of Lewiston, Maine, reported that legislation thereon is inexpedient.

Mr. POLLARD from the Committee on Interior Waters reported that the Petition of Charles F. Stevens and 37 others to prohibit the throwing of sawdust in Concord River, or any of its tributaries, be referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Mr. LEWIS from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Waldo County Electric Light and Power Company."

On motion of Mr. McKINLEY of Jackson,

The report was tabled pending acceptance, and assigned for Wednesday, March 17.

Mr. GREENLEAF from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 53 of Chapter 125 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 107 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to compensation to be paid agents for investigation of cases of cruelty to animals."

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same

on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 114 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to sales of merchandise in bulk to include other trade assets."

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to create the offices of city carpenter and assistants in all cities of more than 15,000 inhabitants."

Mr. LEWIS from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act for the erection of a monnument to commemorate the old pilgrim trading post at ancient Koussinoc," reported that the same be referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Mr. DUTTON from the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 49, Section 4, Paragraph 7, relating to the insurance policy becoming void by vacancy of the premises without the insurers' written permission."

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions reported same on Bill "An Act retiring the Document Clerk in the Maine State Library."

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Charles B. Pettengill, a veteran of the Civil War, for retirement.

Mr. HASKELL from the Portland Delegation reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 387 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the tenure of office of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department of the city of Portland."

The same gentleman from the same Delegation reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 369 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the tenure of office of the City Electrician of the city of Portland."

Mr. GREENLEAF from the same Delegation reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 486 of the Private and Special Laws of 1885, relating to the tenure of office of the Chief of Police of the city of Portland."

Mr. ROBERTS from the same Delegation reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 146 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, relating to superintendent under the Commissioner of Public Works of the city of Portland."

Mr. FOSSETT from same Delegation reported same on Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Portland."

Mr. MULLIGAN from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries, on Bill "An Act to provide for the granting of lobster licenses," reported "ought not to pass" as the subject matter is contained in a Bill to be reported by this Committee.

Mr. GOLDTHWAIT from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to provide for licenses for transportation of lobsters beyond the limits of the State," reported "ought not to pass," as the subject matter is included in a Bill to be reported by this Committee.

Mr. MULLIGAN from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 23 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the marking of lobster cars and traps," reported "ought not to pass," as the subject matter is included in Bill to be reported by this Committee.

Mr. JAMESON from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to Sea and Shore Fisheries," reported "ought not to pass," as the subject matter is included in another Bill to be reported by this Committee.

Mr. GOODING from the Committee on Taxation reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide for the taxation of interest-bearing deposits in national banks."

Mr. McCORRISON from the Committee on Towns reported same on Bill "An Act to withdraw from Allagash Plantation, in the County of Aroostook, that part of the Plantation which was before its incorporation, Township No. 17, Range 10, W. E. L. S., in Aroostook County."

Mr. WHEELER from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to divide the town of Cumberland."

Mr. POLLARD from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported same on Bill "An Act relating to width of sleds."

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 476 of the Private and Special Laws of 1889, as amended by Chapter 120 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, relating to Southport Bridge."

Mr. COBB from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to improve the public highways of Maine by regulating the width of tires upon wagons made for carrying heavy loads."

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Majority and Minority Reports of the Committee on Claims on Resolve in favor of Fred R. Smith, Pittsfield, Maine; Majority Report, reporting "ought not to pass," signed by the following:

Messrs. Woodman,
Peabbles,
Noyes,
Murphy,
Leary,
Neilon.

Minority Report, reporting "ought to pass," signed by the following:

Messrs. Erskine,
Benn,
Carson.

On motion of Mr. GRANT of St. Albans,

The reports were tabled pending the acceptance of either, and for the printing of the Resolve, and assigned for Wednesday, March 17.

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing highways in the town of Hebron (House Document No. 624);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing Long Bridge, so called, in the town of Plymouth (House Document No. 625);

Were read once, and Tuesday assigned for second reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 356 of the Private and Special Laws of 1883, relating to construction of bridge over tide waters between Orr's Island and Bailey's Island" (House Document No. 626),

Was read once, and, on motion of Mr. MULLIN of Lincolnville,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Wednesday, March 17.

Resolve in favor of repairing road in the town of Cooper (House Document No. 627);

Resolve in favor of aid in building a bridge across Higgins Brook in the town of Harmony (House Document No. 628);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing highway in the town of Upton (House Document No. 629);

Bill "An Act to amend subdivision "F" of division sixth of Section 23 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, with reference to the investment of deposits of savings banks and institutions for savings" (House Document No. 633);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 71 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the improvement of free high schools" (House Document No. 634);

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 7 of Section 100 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the course of study in common schools" (House Document No. 635);

Bill "An Act to establish a Board of Education for the city of Bath" (House Document No. 636);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 215 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887 and amendatory of Chapter 281 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, relating to Eastern Maine Institute" (House Document No. 637);

Resolve in favor of Eastern Maine Institute at Springfield to defray expenses and obligations incurred in the conduct of the School for the school years ending July 1, 1913, and July 1, 1914 (House Document No. 638);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to night hunting" (House Document No. 641);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Metalluc Brook and in Mill Brook, in Franklin County" (House Document No. 642);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Mill Brook and in Metalluc Brook, tributaries to Upper Richardson Lake, and at the mouth of said Metalluc Brook, in the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 643);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Rum Pond, in Piscataquis County" (House Document No. 644);

The foregoing Bills were read twice and the foregoing Resolves read once, and Tuesday assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Resolve in favor of the Madawaska Training School for the construction and furnishing of a suitable dormitory building (Senate Document No. 129);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in rebuilding a bridge in the town of Cutler (Senate Document No. 287);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a bridge across Sourdabscook Stream in the town of Hampden and providing for the future maintenance thereof (Senate Document No. 288);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 56 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, entitled 'An Act to regulate the use of certain roads in the town of Bluehill'" (House Document No. 588);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 38 of Chapter 32 of the Re-

vised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the closed season on wild hares or rabbits" (House Document No. 589) ;

Bill "An Act to repeal certain Private and Special Laws relating to use of motor boats in hunting sea birds, duck and water fowl on the coast of Maine" (House Document No. 590) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the hunting of water fowl and other wild birds in Back Bay, so called, in Portland" (House Document No. 591) ;

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 281 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 120 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the protection of the game bird Golden Eye, or Whistler" (House Document No. 592) ;

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 373 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the protection of ducks in Lincoln County" (House Document No. 593) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Lake Kezar, in the towns of Lovell, Stoneham and Stow, in Oxford County" (House Document No. 594) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Tufts, Dutton and Grindstone Ponds, in the town of Kingfield, Franklin County" (House Document No. 595) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Overset Pond, in the town of Greenwood, Oxford County" (House Document No. 596) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913,

relating to fishing in the tributaries to Upper and Lower Wilson Ponds, in the County of Piscataquis" (House Document No. 597);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Lake Kezar and in the tributaries to Kezar River, in the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 598);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of smelts in Bryant's Pond and tributaries, in the towns of Woodstock and Greenwood, Oxford County" (House Document No. 599);

Bill "An Act authorizing the towns of Mexico and Rumford in the County of Oxford to purchase the toll bridge between said towns, erected and owned by the Mexico Bridge Company" (House Document No. 601);

Resolve appropriating money for the construction of approaches to the State Ferry at Eggmoggin Reach (House Document No. 602);

Resolve in favor of replanking and repainting bridge between East Millinocket and Medway (House Document No. 603);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the Lake Road in Oxford County (House Document No. 604);

Resolve in favor of aid in building a highway bridge across the Sandy River in the town of New Sharon, Franklin County (House Document No. 605);

Resolve continuing an unexpended appropriation relative to the Fort Kent Bridge (House Document No. 606);

Resolve in favor of building a bridge across the Mattawamkeag River, in the town of Haynesville, in the County of Aroostook (House Document No. 607);

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 163 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to the hunting of water fowl and wild birds in Back Bay, Portland" (House Document No. 608);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve to promote and assist the interests of poultry culture (House Document No. 609),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the third reading, their report thereon accepted, and read the second time.

On motion of Mr. SNOW of Mars Hill,

Was tabled pending passage to be engrossed, and assigned for Tuesday, March 16.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to dogs" (House Document No. 610);

Resolve making appropriations for the construction of buildings at the University of Maine (House Document No. 611);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 49 of the Private and Special Laws of 1899, relating to the policeman of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians" (House Document No. 612);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the place for bringing actions" (House Document No. 613);

Bill "An Act authorizing Seboeis Plantation to build and maintain its roads and bridges and to raise money therefor" (House Document No. 614);

Bill "An Act to change the name of the Maine Baptist Missionary Convention and to unite with it the Maine Baptist Education Society and the Maine Baptist Charitable Society" (House Document No. 615);

Bill "An Act authorizing Barnard Plantation to build and maintain its roads and bridges and to raise money therefor" (House Document No. 616);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act to create a Public Utilities Commission,

prescribe its powers and duties, and provide for the regulation and control of Public Utilities' " (House Document No. 617) ;

Resolve in favor of Hon. D. D. Stewart of St. Albans (House Document No. 618) ;

Bill "An Act to revive and extend the powers of the Kingman Developing Company" (House Document No. 619) ;

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Libby Homestead Corporation" (House Document No. 620) ;

Bill "An Act confirming the official acts of Frank D. Fenderson, acting as Register of Deeds for York County" (House Document No. 621) ;

Resolve in favor of a history of Pemaquid, of Bristol (House Document No. 622) ;

Bill "An Act to provide for the care and treatment of tubercular persons" (House Document No. 623) ;

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Seventy-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, and as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred Forty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relative to Defining the Boundaries of Ways Where the Same are Doubtful, Uncertain or Lost.

An Act to Provide for the Care and Maintenance of the Mount Desert Bridge, in the Town of Trenton.

An Act to Fix the Standard Weight of Certain Commodities not Included in Section Thirty-nine of Chapter Thirty-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, and to Correct the Standard Weight of a Bushel

of Dried Apples and to change the Standard Weight of a Barrel of Potatoes.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Sixty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relative to the Licensing of Corporations Receiving Deposits from Their Employees.

An Act to Prevent the Aiding or Abetting of the Escape of Inmates of the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

An Act to Amend Section Eighteen of Chapter Seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Payment of Interest to Plantations from the Funds for Lands Reserved for Public Uses.

An Act to Provide for Conducting Scientific Investigations Bearing upon the Agriculture of Aroostook County.

An Act to Amend Sections Twenty-one and Twenty-two of Chapter One Hundred Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Obstructing Officers in the Discharge of Their Duties.

An Act to Amend Section Thirteen of Chapter One Hundred Twenty of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-nine, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Thirty-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court in the Town of East Livermore.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Ninety of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven Entitled, "An Act Relating to the Protection of Smelts along the Coast of Maine from Casco Bay to Penobscot Bay."

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Eastport Bridge.

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls,
Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M., Tuesday, March 16.

C. C. HARVEY,

Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
TUESDAY, March 16, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingston of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 156 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the packing, shipping and sale of apples,"

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Agriculture.

Resolve in favor of the State Historian;

Resolve in favor of E. W. Murphy, Secretary of the Joint Special Committee appointed by the 76th Legislature on Women's Reformatory, State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the Maine State Prison,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on State Prison.

Report of the Committee on Banks and Banking reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 89, Chapter 48, Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to Foreign Investment Corporations" (Senate Document No. 304);

Report of the Committee on Banks and Banking reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, relating to Savings Banks" (Senate Document No. 305);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bills read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game re-

porting "ought to pass" on Resolve appropriating money to aid in the screening of Parker Pond in Kennebec and Franklin Counties (Senate Document No. 306);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to repeal Section 45 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Sea and Shore Fisheries (Senate Document No. 307);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Horse Shoe Pond, in West Bowdoin College Township, in the County of Piscataquis" (Senate Document No. 308);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in portions of Rangeley Stream, Kennebago Stream and Little Kennebago Stream, in the Counties of Franklin and Oxford" (Senate Document No. 309);

Report of the Committee on Interior Waters reporting same on Bill "An Act authorizing the Clark Power Company to construct a dam across the Saco River between the towns of Buxton and Dayton" (Senate Document No. 310);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bills read twice, and Resolve read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolve.

Report of the Committee on Judiciary reporting same on Bill "An Act to extend and enlarge the powers of the Limerick Water and Electric Company" (Senate Document No. 311),

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,
Was recommitted to Committee on Judiciary pending acceptance of report in concurrence.

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 284 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Hiram

Water, Light and Power Company,' and also to extend and enlarge the rights, powers and privileges of said Company" (Senate Document No. 312);

The report was accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bill read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report of the Committee on Agriculture reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section I of Chapter 60 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by the Public Laws of 1909, Chapter 98, relating to the appointment of a Commissioner of Agriculture."

Report of the Committee on Claims, on Resolve in favor of the town of Sangerville, reporting that legislation thereon is inexpedient.

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 42 of the Statutes of Maine to regulate the sale of coal."

Report of the Portland Delegation reporting same on Bill "An Act to regulate hotels, lodging houses and eating houses in the city of Portland."

Report of the Committee on Taxation reporting same on Bill "An Act to raise additional revenue by taxation."

Report of the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting same on Resolve in favor of Sandy River Plantation in the County of Franklin, for building a new road and bridge in said Plantation.

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of aid for construction of a highway bridge across Allagash River, in Allagash Plantation.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Bill "An Act authorizing the Secretary of State to prepare and publish lists of corporations delinquent in payment of their franchise taxes;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 29 of Chapter 93 of the Revised Statutes, relating to mechanics' liens on buildings;"

Petition of Yarmouth Grange, membership of 226, for the passage of an order for the investigation of steam railroads;
Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Bill "An Act prohibiting the flying of flags, banners or other emblems from automobiles,"

Was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. WASHBURN from the Committee on Agriculture, on Bill "An Act to protect agricultural and horticultural societies against fraud," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. MAXWELL from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Leo Shay, Representative of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians.

Mr. HASSELL from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of York County Children's Aid Society, Saco.

Mr. HIGGINS from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the Maine Institution for the Blind.

Mr. MAXWELL from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the Rumford Hospital Association.

Mr. NICHOLAS from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the Bath City Hospital.

Mr. MAXWELL from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Trull Hospital Aid Association, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. MAXWELL from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Augusta General Hospital, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HASKELL from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Presque Isle General Hospital for maintenance, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. LORD from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Madigan Memorial Hospital of Houlton, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HIGGINS from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Healy Asylum of Lewiston, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HASKELL from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Children's Aid Society of Maine, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HIGGINS from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Somerset Hospital, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Lewiston and Auburn Children's Home, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. RUSSELL from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Girls' Orphanage of Lewiston, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. LORD from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Old Town Hospital, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HOLT from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children, Gardiner, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. LORD from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor

of the Maine Children's Home Society, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. RUSSELL from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Webber Hospital Association, Biddeford, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Good Samaritan Home Association, Bangor, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Children's Protective Society of Maine, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Maine Mission for the Deaf, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. MAXWELL from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the York Hospital in the town of York, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HOLT from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Greenville Junction Y. M. C. A. Hospital for maintenance, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. NICHOLAS from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Daughters of Wisdom, Saint Agatha, reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Bar Harbor Medical and Surgical Hospital, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Eastern Maine General Hospital, reported the

same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. LORD from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Temporary Home for Women and Children, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HASKELL from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Children's Heart Work Society, of Maine, located at Portland, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. MAXWELL from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Maine Home for Friendless Boys, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. NICHOLAS from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the Waldo County General Hospital, Belfast, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Whetstone Pond in Piscataquis County."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Kingsbury Pond, in Somerset and Piscataquis Counties, and in the Bennett Ponds, so called, in Guilford, in Piscataquis County."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Barker Pond, in Cornville, in Somerset County," with petition of L. C. Williams and 20 others in favor of same.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Ship Pond Stream, in Piscataquis County."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Pleasant Pond, Mud Pond, Horseshoe Pond and Oxbow Pond, situated in the Counties of Kennebec and Sagadahoc."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in the Kennebec River in Somerset County."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Berry Pond, in Winthrop, in the County of Kennebec," reported the same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Berry Pond and its tributaries, in the town of Winthrop and in the town of Wayne, in the County of Kennebec," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in certain waters in Oxford County" reported the same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Sand Pond, in Denmark, in the County of Oxford," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act in favor of closing up Violette Brook from Hammond's Mill up, to all kinds of fishing for two years," with petitions of

J. A. Pelletier and 64 others, and W. H. Scott and 8 others relating to same, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Violette Brook, in Van Buren, in the County of Aroostook, above Hammond's Mill," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Davis Stream and Monson Pond Stream, in the County of Piscataquis," reported the same in a new draft, under same title and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of E. A. Clark and 9 other residents of Levant asking that Booker Brook be closed to all fishing for three years, and that for three years thereafter fishing be permitted only on Wednesday of each week, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Booker Brook, in Levant, in the County of Penobscot," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of Harry Hammond and 45 others, citizens of Aroostook County, for a close time on fishing in Ross and Cary Lakes in Littleton, in Aroostook County, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Ross Lake and in Cary Lake, in Littleton, in Aroostook County," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of Alva Coolidge and 11 others, residents of Upton and vicinity, relating to fishing in Dead Cambridge River and other waters in Oxford County, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913 relating to fishing in Dead

Cambridge River and other waters in Oxford County, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. CAMPBELL from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine and New Brunswick Electrical Power Company, Limited, to exercise certain powers within the State of Maine."

Mr. PIERCE from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of non-resident guardians," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of an agent by a non-resident testamentary trustee," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee on Bill "An Act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 98 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the time of opening and closing of polls at elections," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HANSON from the Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Lisbon to supply gas and electricity," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. BONNEY from the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relative to the use of the cinematograph."

Mr. COBB from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve in favor of the town of Orland in the County of Hancock for improvement of Hardscrabble Hill, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the highway over Hardscrabble Hill in the town of Orland, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve for rebuilding a section of Marsh Hill in the town of Stockton

Springs, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the highway over Marsh Hill in the town of Stockton Springs, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. DURGAIN from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of roads and bridges in Township 6, Range 7, and Township 6, Range 8, reported the same in a new draft under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the road leading from Shin Pond to Mattagamom Post Office, Penobscot County and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. HASKELL from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Daughters of Wisdom, St. Agatha.

Mr. LORD from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the Good Samaritan Home.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the Bath City Hospital.

Mr. RUSSELL from the same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of St. Joseph's Home for Aged Women, Portland.

Mr. RICKER from the Committee on Education, on Resolve for Maine Bulletin of October, 1914, reported that the same be placed on file.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Allen Pond, in Greene, in the County of Androscoggin."

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to prohibit the hunting and killing of deer in the towns of Deer Isle and Stonington in the County of Hancock, for the space of six years."

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of A. A. Bartlett and 193 others, residents of Mt. Desert Island, asking that said Island be opened to deer hunting from November 15 to December 15 of each year, one deer to be allowed to a person in one season, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

Mr. PIERCE from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 114 of the Revised Statutes, relating to poor debtors."

Mr. CONNELLAN from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act in favor of licensing operators of motor vehicles or automobiles in the town of Eden."

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to costs in civil actions."

Mr. O'CONNELL from the Committee on Labor reported same on Bill "An Act to regulate the hours of labor and wages of employees in the Department of Public Works, Street and Highway Departments of the cities of the State."

Mr. HARADEN from the Committee on Railroads and Expresses reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 147 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act for the abolishment of grade crossings of railroads.'"

Mr. MORSE from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act in relation to the operation of street railways."

Mr. BUSSEY from the same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act for the protection of travelers at grade crossings."

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Secretary of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs (House Document No. 653):

Resolve in favor of Fortunat O. Michaud (House Document No. 654);

Resolve in favor of Higgins Classical Institute, Charleston, Maine (House Document No. 655);

Resolve in favor of Lee Academy for liquidation of its dormitory indebtedness (House Document No. 656);

Resolve in favor of Ricker Classical Institute (House Document No. 657);

Resolve in favor of Westbrook Seminary for payment of debt and furnishings for Alumni Hall (House Document No. 658);

Resolve in favor of North Yarmouth Academy (House Document No. 659);

Resolve in favor of Aroostook Central Institute at Mars Hill (House Document No. 660);

Resolve in favor of the town of Rumford for the payment of a claim for State Common School fund for the year 1913 (House Document No. 661);

Resolve in favor of Limerick Academy (House Document No. 662);

Resolve in favor of Bridgewater Classical Academy (House Document No. 663);

Resolve in favor of Somerset Academy in the town of Athens (House Document No. 664);

Resolve in favor of Lee Academy for maintenance (House Document No. 665);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 73 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the examination of pupils entering school after absence on account of sickness" (House Document No. 666);

Bill "An Act to provide for professional supervision of schools of remotely situated plantations" (House Document No. 667);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Simpson Pond, so called, in the town of

Roque Bluffs, in the County of Washington" (House Document No. 668);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Fifteen Mile Stream and its tributaries in the County of Kennebec, and in the County of Waldo" (House Document No. 669);

Bill "An Act to authorize the Electric System Corporation of Edmundston, N. B., to exercise certain powers in this State" (House Document No. 670);

Resolve relating to documentary history of Maine (House Document No. 671);

Bill "An Act to provide for salary for the turnkey or jailer for the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 672);

Bill "An Act relating to the salaries of subordinate officers of the House of Representatives" (House Document No. 673);

Resolve for the full support of all State charges at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 674);

Resolve providing for permanent outside service extension to present and proposed new buildings at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 675);

Resolve providing for additional laundry equipment at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 676);

Resolve providing for fencing around the New Water Supply at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 677);

Resolve for the construction of a Power and Central Heating Plant at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 678);

Resolve in favor of improving the roads through the property of the School for Feeble Minded in the towns of Pownal, North Yarmouth, Gray and New Gloucester (House Document No. 679);

Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in Machias Bay, and adjacent waters in the County of Washington" (House Document No. 680);

Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in the waters of Jonesboro and Roque Bluffs, in Washington County" (House Document No. 681);

Bill "An Act regulating the taking of clams in the town of Lamoine" (House Document No. 682);

Bill "An Act for the protection of forests on the island of Mount Desert" (House Document No. 683);

The foregoing Bills were read twice and foregoing Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Bill "An Act relating to the removal of brown-tail moth nests within the limits of the highway" (House Document No. 684),

Was read twice, and, on motion of Mr. McINTIRE of Waterford, tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 62 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act to protect cod and other ground fish in waters off the coast of Lincoln and Sagadahoc Counties'" (House Document No. 692);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 39 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to taking alewives by West Harbor Ice Company" (House Document No. 693);

Resolve for the purpose of providing and operating patrol boats to be used in enforcing the laws relating to Sea and Shore Fisheries (House Document No. 694);

Resolve in favor of Edmund E. Gould (House Document No. 695);

Resolve in favor of Charles S. Pearl of Bangor, Maine, and Frederick J. Ranlett of Boston, Massachusetts, executors of the will of the late James C. Braman, for collateral inheri-

tance tax erroneously assessed against said estate and paid by said executors (House Document No. 696);

Resolve in favor of relief of the heirs of Revolutionary soldier (House Document No. 697);

Resolve in favor of Joseph J. Roberts (House Document No. 698);

Resolve in favor of the town of Pittsfield (House Document No. 699);

Resolve in favor of William F. Mason of Wiscasset, Maine, (House Document No. 700);

Resolve in favor of Benjamin M. Jenness (House Document No. 701);

Resolve reimbursing the town of Clifton for money paid to the State Treasurer as dog licenses in excess of the amount actually collected as such in said town for the year of 1912 (House Document No. 702);

Resolve in favor of the town of Mexico (House Document No. 703);

Resolve in favor of the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner, Bureau of Animal Industry (House Document No. 704);

Bill "An Act to disorganize Muscle Ridge Plantation, in the County of Knox" (House Document No. 705);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the North Bridgton Village Corporation" (House Document No. 706);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Northport Village Corporation" (House Document No. 707);

Resolve in favor of aid in constructing a bridge between the cities of Portland and South Portland (House Document No. 708);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 139 of the Private and Special Laws of 1899" (House Document No. 709);

Resolve in favor of reimbursing the County Commissioners of Penobscot County for cost of repairs to the State Bridge between the towns of Old Town and Milford (House Document No. 710);

Resolve in favor of the Old Town-Milford Bridge (House Document No. 711);

Bill "An Act directing the Treasurer of State to correct the State Treasury records for the years 1908 and 1909 relating to the payment of State, County and Forestry District taxes on 1-48 part of Township No. 2, Range 9, W. E. L. S., in Piscataquis County" (House Document No. 712);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 272 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, entitled 'An Act to amend the charter of the city of Belfast'" (House Document No. 713);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, relating to town agent" (House Document No. 714);

Bill "An Act relating to the qualifications and duties of the inspectors of steamboats" (House Document No. 715);

Resolve in favor of Everett A. Record, Bryant's Pond, Maine (House Document No. 716);

Resolve in favor of Henry Golding for military pension (House Document No. 717);

Resolve in favor of Mary Harmon, Bangor, Maine (House Document No. 718);

Resolve providing a State pension for Arthur H. Murch of Paris (House Document No. 719);

Resolve in favor of Alice L. Gasper of Winthrop (House Document No. 720);

Bill "An Act to incorporate Mount Pleasant Cemetery Association" (House Document No. 721);

Bill "An Act directing the Insurance Commissioner to abrogate the license of foreign insurance companies under certain conditions" (House Document No. 722);

Resolve in favor of Susan E. Dawson, Monroe, Maine (House Document No. 723);

Resolve providing a State pension for Charles H. Kelley (House Document No. 724);

Resolve in favor of Luella Darling for a State pension (House Document No. 725);

Resolve providing a State pension for Frances H. Orrok (House Document No. 726);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Washington County Light and Power Company" (House Document No. 727);

Bill "An Act to exclude automobiles from a branch road in town of North Haven" (House Document No. 728);

Resolve in favor of the town of Castine for reimbursement of money spent in excess of a State road appropriation (House Document No. 729);

Resolve in favor of Will T. Collins, Mary Collins and Alice A. Collins (House Document No. 730);

Resolve in favor of the town of Harmony (House Document No. 731);

Resolve in favor of Alfred Yankauer (House Document No. 732);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 25 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to supplies furnished to any person or family while placed in quarantine by the Board of Health" (House Document No. 733);

Bill "An Act to establish the offices of superintendent and matron of the Portland City Home, and to determine the tenure of office of same" (House Document No. 734);

Bill "An Act relative to the granting of licenses by the municipal officers of the city of Portland" (House Document No. 735);

Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of harbor masters for the harbor of Portland" (House Document No. 736);

Resolve in favor of Mary S. Hillman (House Document No. 737);

Resolve in favor of Mrs. Georgie S. Bates of Augusta (House Document No. 738);

Resolve in favor of Meldon Nealley, Brewer, Maine (House Document No. 739);

The foregoing Bills were read twice, and foregoing Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Bill "An Act to authorize Mousam Water Company to increase its capital stock" (House Document No. 740);

Was read once, and, on motion of Mr. HANSON of Sanford, tabled pending second reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 65 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 10 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to burial expenses of war veterans" (House Document No. 741);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the South Berwick Sewer Company" (House Document No. 742);

Bill "An Act providing for the setting off of debts of legatees and distributees against legacies and distributive shares in estates of deceased persons" (House Document No. 743);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 481 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, entitled 'An Act to incorporate York Harbor Village Corporation'" (House Document No. 744);

Bill "An Act to authorize the Clark Power Company to increase its capital stock" (House Document No. 745);

Resolve in aid of navigation on Sebago Lake, Songo River, Bay of Naples and Long Lake (House Document No. 746);

Resolve in favor of Van Buren College for maintenance and equipment (House Document No. 747);

Resolve making an appropriation for general maintenance and support of the University of Maine (House Document No. 748);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 81 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to academies" (House Document No. 749);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 48 of the Public Laws of 1905 and Chapter 122 of the Public Laws of 1913, in relation to accounting for and expenditure of school funds" (House Document No. 750);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 182 of the Public Laws of 1907 providing that flags shall be furnished to schools" (House Document No. 751);

Resolve to provide for a celebration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the State of Maine and the Three Hundredth Anniversary of the Landing of the Pilgrims (House Document No. 752);

Resolve in favor of The Forks Plantation (House Document No. 753);

The foregoing Bills were read twice and foregoing Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Bill "An Act to divide the town of Bristol and to incorporate the town of South Bristol" (House Document No. 648),

Was read twice.

Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro offered House Amendment "A," and moved its adoption.

Discussion ensued.

The question being on the adoption of House Amendment "A," Mr. GREELEY of Portland called for a division of the House, which was had, and the Amendment failed of adoption by a vote of 26 to 86.

The Bill then had its third reading assigned for tomorrow.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
The third reading of Bills, which was then in order, was passed over in order that the tabled matter assigned for today might be taken up.

Mr. BROWN of Auburn moved that the House take a recess until 4.30 P. M.

Mr. WARD of Augusta, moved to amend the motion by making the time 4.00 P. M. instead of 4.30 P. M.

Mr. BROWN then withdrew his motion.

Reports of the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, to which was referred Resolve to provide for the construction and equipment of a central building at Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell, Majority reporting "ought to pass," and Minority reporting "ought not to pass,"

Which were tabled March 9 pending acceptance of either report,

Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. GREELEY of Portland moved to accept the Minority report "ought not to pass."

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer called for a division of the House, which was had, and the motion to accept the Minority report was lost by a vote of 30 to 57.

Mr. HIGGINS then moved the acceptance of the Majority report, and it was so accepted.

On further motion of the same gentleman, the Resolve was given its first reading, and tomorrow assigned for its second reading.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
The House voted to take a recess until 4.30 P. M.,

AFTER RECESS

Bill "An Act to require certain vehicles to carry lights at night on public highways and bridges" (House Document No. 513),

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GRANT of St. Albans,
The Bill was indefinitely postponed.

Resolve to promote and assist the interests of poultry culture (House Document No. 609),

Which was tabled March 13 pending passage to be engrossed.
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. COFFIN of Freeport,
The Bill was passed to be engrossed.

Report of Committee on Education on Resolve in favor of Nasson Institute toward erection and equipment of dormitory,
Which was tabled March 13 pending acceptance,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GALLAGHER of Bangor,
The report was accepted. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 188 of the Public Laws of 1911 as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 37 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the appropriation for the encouragement of industrial education" (Senate Document No. 211);

Resolve in favor of the Treasurer of State to enable him to properly balance and settle accounts with the various cities, towns and plantations for the year 1914 (Senate Document No. 293);

Bill "An Act to enable the State of Maine to balance and settle its accounts with the various municipalities of Maine on the first day of December of each year" (Senate Document No. 291);

Resolve appropriating money for the publication and circula-

tion of a school text in civics, local geography and local history (Senate Document No. 296);

Bill "An Act to change the name of the Maine Industrial School for Girls, and to change the title of the principal thereof to that of superintendent" (Senate Document No. 297);

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 25 of Chapter 143 of Revised Statutes, relating to the commitment of idle and vicious girls to the Maine Industrial School for Girls by parents and guardians" (Senate Document No. 298);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in rebuilding a bridge across the Dennys River between the towns of Dennysville and Edmunds (Senate Document No. 299);

Resolve appropriating money for the purpose of making surveys, plans and estimates for a new interstate bridge between Kittery, Maine, and Portsmouth, New Hampshire (Senate Document No. 300);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing a highway in the town of Orneville and providing for the future maintenance thereof (Senate Document No. 301);

Resolve appropriating money to repair the bridge across the Machias River in the town of Whitneyville (Senate Document No. 302);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing highways in the town of Hebron (House Document No. 624);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing Long Bridge, so called, in the town of Plymouth (House Document No. 625);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing a road in the town of Cooper (House Document No. 627);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a bridge across Higgins Brook in the town of Harmony (House Document No. 628);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing a highway in the town of Upton (House Document No. 629);

Bill "An Act to amend Subdivision "F" of Division Sixth of Section 23 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, with reference to the investment of deposits of savings banks and institutions for savings" (House Document No. 633);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 71 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the improvement of free high schools" (House Document No. 634);

Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 7 of Section 100 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the course of study in common schools" (House Document No. 635);

Bill "An Act to establish a Board of Education for the city of Bath" (House Document No. 636);

Resolve appropriating money to defray expenses and obligations incurred in the conduct of the Eastern Maine Institute at Springfield for the school years ending July 1, 1913, and July 1, 1914 (House Document No. 638);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to night hunting" (House Document No. 641);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Metalluc Brook and in Mill Brook, in Franklin County" (House Document No. 642);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Mill Brook and in Metalluc Brook, tributaries to Upper Richardson Lake, and at the mouth of said Metalluc Brook, in the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 643);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Rum Pond, in Piscataquis County" (House Document No. 644);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time

and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Authorize the Municipal Light and Power Company to Decrease Its Capital Stock.

An Act to Amend, Revive and Extend the Charter of the Stratton Water Company.

An Act Authorizing the Building and Maintenance of a Dyke in the Town of Milbridge.

An Act to Equalize the Salaries of County Attorneys.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in the Pool at Upper Dam and in the River Running from said Pool to Lake Mollychunkamunk, in the County of Oxford.

An Act to amend Chapter One Hundred Twenty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Board of Overseers of the Poor and Workhouse of the City of Portland.

An Act to Make Valid a Certain Annual Town Meeting of the Town of Robbinston.

An Act to Enlarge the Powers of The Portland Female Charitable Society.

An Act to Create a Board of Examination and Registration of Nurses.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Casco Bay Water Company.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Washburn Water Company.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Bowdoinham Water and Electric Company.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-four of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Seventy-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Eleven, and Chapter Seventy-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to the Employment of Superintendents of Schools.

An Act Relating to the Payment of Salaries of Judges of Probate.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Two Hundred and Three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Three, Relating to the Preservation of Town Records of Births, Marriages and Deaths previous to the Year Eighteen Hundred Ninety-two.

An Act in Relation to the Collecting and Preserving of Plans of Townships and Other Properties.

An Act to Enable Newcastle Lumber Company to Erect and Maintain Piers and Booms in Big Wood Pond in Somerset County.

An Act to Equalize the Salaries of County Treasurers.

An Act to Incorporate the Winthrop Water Company.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Rapid River, between Lower Richardson Lake and Umbagog Lake, and in Pond in the River, in the County of Oxford.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Lower Kezar Pond, in the Town of Fryeburg, in Oxford County, and in the Town of Bridgton, in Cumberland County.

An Act to Change the Name of The Board of Trade of Portland.

An Act to Equalize the Salaries of Registers of Deeds.

An Act to Establish a State Reformatory for Women.

An Act to Ratify, Confirm and Make Valid the Proceedings of the First Congregational Parish of Kittery.

An Act to Abolish the Office of City Solicitor of the City of Portland and to Create the Office of Corporation Counsel of the City of Portland, and to Determine His Duties, Tenure of Office and Salary.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Twenty-three of Chapter Eighteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven and Chapter Forty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Annual Appropriation for the State Laboratory of Hygiene,

Was reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, and, on motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, tabled pending passage to be enacted.

An Act to Amend Section Ten of Chapter Twelve of the Revised Statutes for the Benefit of County Law Libraries.

An Act to Prohibit Fishing for Herring in Sheepscot River and Its Tributaries, by Use of Seines or Nets Within Two Thousand Feet of Any Trap or Weir.

An Act to Amend Sections One, Two and Three of Chapter Two Hundred Seventy-seven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Entitled, "An Act to Confer Additional Powers and Privileges upon the People's Ferry Company.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Two Hundred and Three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Three, Relating to the Preservation of Town Records of Births, Marriages and Deaths previous to the Year Eighteen Hundred Ninety-two.

An Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter Twelve of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Persons not Eligible to the Office of County Treasurer.

An Act to Amend Section Sixty-nine of Chapter Eighty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Duration of Attachments.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-five of Chapter Eighty-four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Proceedings on Demurrers.

An Act to Amend Section Seven of Chapter Two Hundred Eleven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Regulating the Sale of Morphine and Other Hypnotic or Narcotic Drugs.

An Act to Authorize the Removal of the Bodies of Deceased Persons from the Guilford Cemetery, in the Town of Guilford.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Brewer Water Company, as Extended and Amended by Chapter One Hundred Seventy of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Corinna Water Company.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Bluehill Water Company.

An Act to Authorize the Town of Millinocket to Own and Maintain an Electric Lighting and Power Plant.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Use of Firearms upon Megunticook Lake and Adjacent Waters and Tributaries Thereof, in Knox and Waldo Counties, and upon the Shores Thereof.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Twenty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Entitled, "An Act Authorizing the Town of Caribou to Accept a Certain Legacy."

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in the Davis Ponds, in Guilford and Willimantic, in the County of Piscataquis.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Certain Waters in Oxford County.

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act Relating to the Payment of Legacies,

Was reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, and, on motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln, tabled pending passage to be enacted.

An Act Providing Punishment for Escapes from Jail.

An Act to Amend Section Fourteen of Chapter Eighty-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section One of Chapter One Hundred Eighty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven and by Chapter Twenty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Presentation of Claims Against Estates.

An Act Making it Unlawful for Persons to Falsely Represent Themselves as Deaf, Dumb, Blind, Crippled or Otherwise Defective.

An Act to Amend Section Ten of Chapter One Hundred Sixteen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Compensation of Fish Wardens.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Three Hundred Eighty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Taking of Lobsters and the Setting of Lobster Traps in the Waters of Gouldsboro, Eden, Trenton, Lamoine, Hancock, Sullivan and Sorrento.

An Act Establishing a Close Time on Lobsters in Certain Waters of Hancock County.

An Act to Amend Section Twenty-five of Chapter Forty-seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Returns of Lists of Stockholders in Banks to the Secretary of State.

An Act to Repeal Chapter Sixty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Providing for Filing Lists of Heirs in the Registry of Deeds.

An Act Relating to Crossings of the Rights of Way of Railroads Organized under Chapter Fifty-three of the Revised Statutes.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Nineteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Obstruction of the Drainage of Public Ways.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 25 of Chapter 143 of Revised Statutes, relating to the commitment of idle and vicious girls to the Maine Industrial School for Girls by parents and guardians" (Senate Document No. 298),

Had its passage to be engrossed reconsidered, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled pending passage to be engrossed, and assigned for tomorrow.

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,

The Clerk was authorized to make certain corrections in Resolve making an appropriation for general maintenance and support of the University of Maine (House Document No. 748).

On motion of Mr. COBB of Denmark,

Was reconsidered the vote by which

"An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 284 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Hiram Water, Light and Power Company,' and also to extend and enlarge the rights, powers and privileges of said Company" (Senate Document No. 312),

Was assigned for third reading tomorrow, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle,

Was reconsidered the vote by which was accepted the adverse report of Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Bill "An Act to prohibit the hunting and killing of deer in the towns of Deer Isle and Stonington, in the County of Hancock, for the space of six years."

On further motion of same gentleman,

The Bill was recommitted to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard asked and obtained unanimous consent to take from the table before the assigned time Bill "An Act to divide the town of Kennebunkport and incorporate the town of North Kennebunkport" (House Document No. 689),

Which was assigned for March 17.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was recommitted to the Committee on Towns.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved to reconsider the vote by which

Resolve to promote and assist the interests of poultry culture (House Document No. 609),

Was passed to be engrossed.

Discussion ensued.

The question being on the reconsideration of the passage of the Resolve to be engrossed, Mr. COFFIN of Freeport asked for a division of the House, which was had, and the motion to reconsider was lost by a vote of 42 to 46.

Mr. DUTTON of Bingham asked and obtained unanimous consent to take from the table before the assigned time

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 30 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 107 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, authorizing the Wiscasset, Waterville and Farmington Railway Company to dispose of a part

of the property of said Company" (House Document No. 514),

Which was tabled March 10 pending third reading, and assigned for March 17.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais asked and obtained unanimous consent to take from the table before the assigned time

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries to the Clerks of the Supreme Judicial Court" (Senate Document No. 160),

But upon suggestion withdrew his request.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Resolve in favor of Frederick Brown (House Document No. 542),

Which was tabled March 10 pending second reading,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of same gentleman,

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Livermore and Augusta Railway Company" (House Document No. 544),

Which was tabled March 10 pending third reading,

Was taken from the table, and, on motion of Mr. CLIFFORD of Lewiston, read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Bill "An Act to extend the time within which the Farmington-Oakland Railway shall actually commence business" (House Document No. 558),

Which was tabled March 11 pending third reading,

Was taken from the table, and, on motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln, read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Resolve in favor of the Commissioners of Pharmacy (Senate Document No. 258),

Which was tabled March 11 pending second reading,
Was taken from the table, and, on motion of Mr. HIGGINS
of Brewer, read the second time and passed to be engrossed.
It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Bill "An Act to amend the military law" (Senate Document
No. 238),

Which was tabled March 10 pending adoption of Senate
Amendment "A" in concurrence,
Was taken from the table.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read the
third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate
Amendment "A" in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. WILSON of Levant,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Wednesday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, March 17, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Dunnack of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Commission duly appointed and act-
ing by and under Section 43, Chapter 65, of the Revised Stat-
utes of 1903, relating to probate forms and practice,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Report of the Committee on Education reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Madawaska Training School for permanent improvements and repairs (Senate Document No. 130);

Report of the Committee on Agriculture reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Woman's College for practical instruction in agriculture and domestic science (Senate Document No. 278);

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Maine Real Estate Title Company" (Senate Document No. 313);

Report of the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to the amortization of bonds of life insurance companies" (Senate Document No. 314);

Report of the Committee on Taxation reporting same on Resolve making an appropriation for the purpose of obtaining information in regard to wild lands for the purposes of taxation (Senate Document No. 315);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve providing for the appointment of delegates to the conferences of the National Tax Association and for the payment of their actual expenses (Senate Document No. 316);

The Reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bills read twice and Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Majority Report of the Committee on Judiciary reporting same on Bill "An Act permitting the use of automobiles in the town of Mount Desert" (Senate Document No. 319);

(Signed) Messrs. Cole,
Butler,
Waterhouse,
Pierce,
Conners,
Campbell.

Minority Report of same Committee, on same Bill, reporting "ought not to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. Durgain,
Sanborn,
McCarty.

On motion of Mr. MORRISON of Eden,

The Majority Report was accepted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report of the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve providing for the purchase of a certain portrait of Major General Joshua L. Chamberlain, a former Governor of this State (Senate Document No. 320);

Report of the Committee on Education reporting same on Resolve in favor of Maine Central Institute for the maintenance of the courses of instruction (Senate Document No. 321);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Nasson Institute for the maintenance and extension of its work (Senate Document No. 322);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of Anson Academy for certain improvements and repairs (Senate Document No. 323);

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of Freedom Academy for equipment and repairs (Senate Document No. 324);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of Saint Joseph's Academy to assist in the payment of its debts and for permanent improvements and equipment (Senate Document No. 325);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 198 of the Public Laws of 1909 as amended by Chapter 192 of the Public Laws of 1911 and as further amended by Chapter 182 of the Public Laws

of 1913, relating to the amount of the school equalization fund" (Senate Document No. 326) ;

Report of the Committee on Insane Hospitals reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for the full maintenance and support of all State charges for the years 1915 and 1916 (Senate Document No. 327) ;

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital to complete the furnishings for the third female wing (Senate Document No. 328) ;

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for renovating the second male wing of the stone building (Senate Document No. 329) ;

Report of the Committee on Judiciary reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 211 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to the Congregational Conference and Missionary Society of Maine" (Senate Document No. 330) ;

Report of the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds reporting same on Bill "An Act to regulate and define the rights and privileges of newspaper correspondents in attendance upon the Legislature" (Senate Document No. 331) ;

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Fees reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to salaries of the subordinate officers of the Senate" (Senate Document No. 332) ;

Report of the Committee on School for the Feeble Minded reporting same on Resolve authorizing the Hospital Trustees to sell and convey the "Chase Merrill Place," owned by the State in connection with the Maine School for Feeble Minded, and to expend the proceeds for the benefit of said School (Senate Document No. 333) ;

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 100 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the transfer of patients from one insane hospital to the other, and to provide for the transfer of patients

from the insane hospitals to the Maine School for Feeble Minded, and for the transfer of inmates from said school to either of said hospitals" (Senate Document No. 334);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve appropriating money for the construction, equipment, service connections and furnishings of one brick building for a central kitchen and bakery at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (Senate Document No. 335);

Report of the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation reporting same on Bill "An Act providing for the disposition of inflammable material along the railroads and highways of the State" (Senate Document No. 336);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to lease Indian Ledge in Matinicus Harbor in Knox County (Senate Document No. 337);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice and Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Fees reporting same on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Governor" (House Document No. 371),

Which was passed to be engrossed in the House March 11, as amended by House Amendment "A,"

Came from the Senate passed to be engrossed without amendment, in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, the House insisted and asked for a conference, the Speaker pro tem appointing as House members of the Committee on Conference Messrs. PIERCE of Houlton, THOMBS of Lincoln, and CONNERS of Bangor.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Fees reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of certain public officers" (House Document No. 403);

The report was accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bill read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reporting same on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Bent's Pond, in the town of New Sharon, in Franklin County, and in the town of Vienna, in Kennebec County" (House Document No. 563),

Which had been previously passed to be engrossed in the House without amendment,

Came from the Senate read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A," in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. McNALLY of Ashland,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed in the House, and Senate Amendment "A" adopted in concurrence.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Hill Crest Hospital at Auburn, for general maintenance.

Reports of the Committee on Railroads and Expresses reporting same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Portland Traffic District."

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Dana H. Danforth, Secretary of Committee on School for Feeble Minded;

Resolve in favor of the Official Reporter of the House;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend

Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Belgrade Stream, a tributary to Snow Pond, in the County of Kennebec," with petition of G. L. Learned and others in favor of same.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to repeal so much of Chapter 192 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913 as relates to Big Kennebago Lake and Little Kennebago Lake in Stetson Town, so called, in Franklin County, including the outlets," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act additional to and to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Kennebago Lake, Little Kennebago Lake, and the outlets of said Lakes," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 56 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of the State of Maine, for 1913, relating to the registration of guides," reported the same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act to amend Section 56 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the registration of guides," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to regulate the taking of frogs from Big Fish Lake, Portage Lake, Square Lake, Eagle Lake, Long Lake, Soldier Pond and in the tributaries to said Pond and Lakes, in Aroostook County," with petition in favor of same, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 43 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of game birds," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman, from same Committee, on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Baskahegan Lake and Stream, Hot Brook Lake,

Schoodic Grand Lake, North Lake, Brackett Lake, and their tributaries, and waters between Schoodic Grand Lake and Chippenticook Lake in Washington and Aroostook Counties," with petition of A. O. Fish and 37 others relating to the taking of pickerel in Baskahegan Lake and Stream and the tributaries to said Stream, reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of fish in certain waters in Washington and Aroostook Counties," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve to provide for screening the outlet to Schoodic Lake, with petition of L. F. Johnson and 60 others in favor of same, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve to provide for screening the outlet of Schoodic Lake, in Piscataquis County, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve for the completion of fish screen at the outlet of Beech Hill Lake in the town of Otis, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve for the completion of the fish screen at the outlet of Beech Hill Lake, in the town of Otis, Hancock County, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of A. W. Walker and 18 others, citizens of Oxford County, asking for additional restrictions on fishing in Shagg, Abbott and Little Concord Ponds, in the towns of Woodstock and Sumner, Oxford County, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Shagg, Abbott and Little Concord Ponds and their tributaries, in Oxford County," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of A. M. Jones and 12 others, residents of Eustis and vicinity, asking for additional restrictions upon fishing in Stratton Brook and its tributaries, in Franklin County, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating

to fishing in Stratton Brook and in the tributaries to said Brook and in the Mount Bigelow Ponds, in Franklin County," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Petition of O. C. Dolbier and 87 others that the Carrabasset River and its tributaries above the bridge at Bigelow be opened to fishing, also that the Great Northern Paper Company be required to build fishways or leave the gates hoisted in any dam they may have on said waters, except at such time as they are actually in use for the purpose of driving lumber, reported a Bill entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Carrabasset River and its tributaries above the bridge at Bigelow," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of A. S. Thompson of Jay and 64 others, asking for additional regulations upon fishing in waters in Jay and Chesterville, in Franklin County, and in Fayette, in Kennebec County, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Mud Pond, Mirror Lake, sometimes called Parkis Pond, and their tributaries, and Bog Stream and its tributaries down as far as North Pond Stream, in Franklin and in Kennebec Counties," and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Petition of O. C. Dolbier and 87 others that the Carrabasset River and its tributaries above the bridge at Bigelow be opened to fishing, also that the Great Northern Paper Company be required to build fishways or leave the gates hoisted in any dam they may have on said waters, except at such time as they are actually in use for the purpose of driving lumber, reported a Bill entitled "An Act to amend the charter of the Carrabasset Dam Company," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. ST. CLAIR from the Committee on Military Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Sons of the American Revolution to provide markers for the unmarked graves of the soldiers of the Revolution in the State of Maine.

Mr. ROBINSON from the Committee on Railroads and Expresses, on Bill "An Act to provide safety appliances for cars running on street railways," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. DANFORTH from the Committee on School for Feeble Minded, on Bill "An Act amending Chapter 44 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the Maine School for Feeble Minded," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. WEBB from the Committee on Labor, on Bill "An Act relative to the hours of labor of certain employees in and about the stations of railroad corporations," reported that the same be referred to the next Legislature.

Mr. HOLT from the Committee on Salaries and Fees reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of certain public officers."

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to protect agricultural and horticultural societies against fraud" (House Document No. 757);

Resolve in favor of Leo Shay, Representative of Penobscot Tribe of Indians (House Document No. 758);

Resolve in favor of York County Children's Aid Society, Saco (House Document No. 759);

Resolve in favor of Maine Institution for the Blind (House Document No. 760);

Resolve in favor of the Rumford Hospital Association for maintenance (House Document No. 761);

Resolve in favor of the Bath City Hospital of Bath, Maine (House Document No. 762);

Resolve in favor of the Trull Hospital Aid Association, Biddeford (House Document No. 763);

Resolve in favor of the Augusta General Hospital (House Document No. 764);

Resolve in favor of the Presque Isle General Hospital for maintenance (House Document No. 765);

Resolve in favor of the Lewiston and Auburn Children's Home (House Document No. 770);

Resolve in favor of the Somerset Hospital (House Document No. 771);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Ross Lake and in Cary Lake, in Littleton, in Aroostook County" (House Document No. 772);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Dead Cambridge River and other waters in Oxford County" (House Document No. 773);

Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine and New Brunswick Electrical Power Company, Limited, to exercise certain powers within the State of Maine" (House Document No. 774);

Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of non-resident guardians" (House Document No. 775);

The foregoing Bills were read twice and foregoing Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 89 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the licensing of foreign investment corporations" (Senate Document No. 304);

Bill "An Act to amend Subdivision "Third" of Section 23 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, permitting savings banks and institutions for savings to invest their deposits in the first mortgage bonds of certain bridge companies" (Senate Document No. 305);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the screening of Parker Pond in Kennebec and Franklin Counties (Senate Document No. 306) ;

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 45 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Sea and Shore Fisheries" (Senate Document No. 307) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Horseshoe Pond, in West Bowdoin College Township, in the County of Piscataquis" (Senate Document No. 308) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in portions of Rangeley Stream, Kennebago Stream, and Little Kennebago Stream, in the Counties of Franklin and Oxford" (Senate Document No. 309) ;

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolve read the second time, all passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act authorizing the Clark Power Company to construct a dam across the Saco River between the towns of Buxton and Dayton" (Senate Document No. 310),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted,

On motion of Mr. DESCOTEAUX of Biddeford,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 215 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887 and amendatory of Chapter 281 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, relating to Eastern Maine Institute" (House Document No. 637) ;

Bill "An Act to divide the town of Bristol and to incorporate the town of South Bristol" (House Document No. 648) ;

Resolve in favor of the Secretary of the Committee on

Appropriations and Financial Affairs (House Document No. 653);

Resolve in favor of Fortunat O. Michaud (House Document No. 654);

Resolve in favor of Higgins Classical Institute, Charleston, Maine (House Document No. 655);

Resolve in favor of Lee Academy for liquidation of its dormitory indebtedness (House Document No. 656);

Resolve in favor of Ricker Classical Institute at Houlton for the repair and improvement of said Institution (House Document No. 657);

Resolve in favor of Westbrook Seminary for payment of debt and for furnishings in Alumni Hall (House Document No. 658);

Resolve in favor of North Yarmouth Academy (House Document No. 659);

Resolve in favor of Aroostook Central Institute at Mars Hill (House Document No. 660);

Resolve in favor of the town of Rumford for the payment of a claim for State Common School Fund for the year 1913 (House Document No. 661);

Resolve in favor of Limerick Academy (House Document No. 662);

Resolve in favor of Bridgewater Classical Academy (House Document No. 663);

Resolve in favor of Somerset Academy in the town of Athens (House Document No. 664);

Resolve in favor of Lee Academy for maintenance (House Document No. 665);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 73 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the examination of pupils entering school after absence on account of sickness" (House Document No. 666),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. BRANN of Winthrop,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to provide for professional supervision of schools of remotely situated plantations" (House Document No. 667);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Simpson Pond, so called, in the town of Roque Bluffs, in the County of Washington" (House Document No. 668);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Fifteen Mile Stream and its tributaries in the Counties of Kennebec and Waldo" (House Document No. 669);

Bill "An Act to authorize the Electric System Corporation of Edmundston, New Brunswick, to exercise certain powers in this State" (House Document No. 670);

Resolve relating to documentary history of Maine (House Document No. 671);

Bill "An Act to provide for salary for the turnkey or jailer for the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 672);

Bill "An Act relating to the salaries of subordinate officers of the House of Representatives" (House Document No. 673);

Resolve for the full support of all State charges at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 674);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time

and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve providing for permanent outside service extension to present and proposed new buildings at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 675),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Resolve providing for additional laundry equipment at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 676);

Resolve providing for fencing around the new water supply at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 677);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve for the construction of a power and central heating plant at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 678),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Resolve in favor of improving the roads through the property of the School for Feeble Minded in the towns of Pownal, North Yarmouth, Gray and New Gloucester (House Document No. 679),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in Machias Bay, and adjacent waters in the County of Washington" (House Document No. 680);

Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in the waters of Jonesboro and Roque Bluffs, in Washington County" (House Document No. 681);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act regulating the taking of clams in the town of Lamoine" (House Document No. 682),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was reconsidered the vote by which House Document No. 682 received its third reading and was passed to be engrossed.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Bill "An Act for the protection of forests on the Island of Mount Desert" (House Document No. 683),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 62 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act to protect cod and other ground fish in waters off the coast of Lincoln and Sagadahoc Counties'" (House Document No. 692),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 39 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to taking alewives by West Harbor Ice Company" (House Document No. 693),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve for the purpose of providing and operating patrol boats to be used in enforcing the laws relating to sea and shore fisheries (House Document No. 694),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading and receipt of statement of facts, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Resolve in favor of Edmund E. Gould, State Agent for the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (House Document No. 695);

Resolve in favor of Charles S. Pearl of Bangor, Maine, and Frederick J. Ranlett of Boston, Massachusetts, executors of the will of the late James C. Braman, to reimburse the estate of said James C. Braman for collateral inheritance tax erroneously assessed against said estate and paid by said executors (House Document No. 696);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of relief of the heirs of Revolutionary soldiers (House Document No. 697),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Resolve in favor of Joseph J. Roberts, agent for the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (House Document No. 698),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Resolve read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the town of Pittsfield (House Document No. 699),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Resolve in favor of William F. Mason of Wiscasset, Maine (House Document No. 700),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Resolve read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Benjamin M. Jenness for burial expenses of honorably discharged soldiers of the Civil War (House Document No. 701),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Resolve reimbursing the town of Clifton for money paid to the State Treasurer as dog licenses in excess of the amount actually collected as such in said town for the year of 1912 (House Document No. 702),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was indefinitely postponed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the town of Mexico reimbursing said town for money paid out for the support of State paupers (House Document No. 703),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Resolve read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner, Bureau of Animal Industry (House Document No. 704),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Bill "An Act to disorganize Muscle Ridge Plantation, in the County of Knox" (House Document No. 705),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Northport Village Corporation" (House Document No. 707),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. MULLIN of Lincolnville offered House Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. MILLETT of Belfast,

The Bill was tabled and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the North Bridgton Village Corporation" (House Document No. 706);

Resolve in favor of aid in constructing a bridge between the cities of Portland and South Portland (House Document No. 708);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 139 of the Private and Special Laws of 1899" (House Document No. 709);

Resolve in favor of reimbursing the County Commissioners of Penobscot County for cost of repairs to the State Bridge between the towns of Old Town and Milford (House Document No. 710);

Resolve in favor of the Old Town-Milford Bridge (House Document No. 711);

Bill "An Act directing the Treasurer of State to correct the State Treasury records for the years 1908 and 1909, relating to the payment of State, County and Forestry taxes on 1-48

part of Township No. 2, Range 9, W. E. L. S., in Piscataquis County" (House Document No. 712);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 272 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, entitled 'An Act to amend the charter of the city of Belfast'" (House Document No. 713);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, relating to town agent" (House Document No. 714),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. HANSON of Sanford,

House Amendment "A" was adopted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to the qualification and duties of the inspectors of steamboats" (House Document No. 715);

Resolve in favor of Everett A. Record, Bryant's Pond, Maine (House Document No. 716);

Resolve in favor of Henry Golding for military pension (House Document No. 717);

Resolve in favor of Mary Harmon, Bangor, for State pension (House Document No. 718);

Resolve providing a State pension for Arthur H. Murch of Paris (House Document No. 719);

Resolve in favor of Alice L. Gasper of Winthrop (House Document No. 720);

Bill "An Act to incorporate Mount Pleasant Cemetery Corporation" (House Document No. 721);

Bill "An Act directing the Insurance Commissioner to abro-

gate the license of foreign insurance companies under certain conditions" (House Document No. 722);

Resolve in favor of Susan E. Dawson of Monroe for State pension (House Document No. 723);

Resolve for providing a State pension for Charles H. Kelley (House Document No. 724);

Resolve in favor of Luella Darling for a State pension (House Document No. 725);

Resolve providing a State pension for Frances H. Orrok (House Document No. 726);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Washington County Light and Power Company" (House Document No. 727);

Bill "An Act to exclude automobiles from a branch road in town of North Haven" (House Document No. 728);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the town of Castine for reimbursement of money spent in excess of a State road appropriation (House Document No. 729),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Resolve in favor of Will T. Collins, Mary Collins and Alice A. Collins (House Document No. 730);

Resolve in favor of the town of Harmony for expenses in the support of State pauper (House Document No. 731);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Alfred Yankauer (House Document No. 732),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 25 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to supplies furnished to any person or family while placed in quarantine by the Board of Health" (House Document No. 733);

Bill "An Act to establish the offices of superintendent and matron of the Portland City Home and to determine the tenure of office of same" (House Document No. 734);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relative to the granting of licenses by the municipal officers of the city of Portland" (House Document No. 735),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of harbor masters for the harbor of Portland" (House Document No. 736),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Wednesday, March 24.

Resolve in favor of Mary S. Hillman (House Document No. 737);

Resolve in favor of Mrs. Georgie S. Bates of Augusta (House Document No. 738);

Resolve in favor of Meldon Neally of Brewer for State pension (House Document No. 739);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in Favor of the Bath Military and Naval Orphan Asylum for Maintenance and Repairs,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was suspended the rule by which no measures carrying an appropriation for money were to be finally passed before March 18.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve received its final passage. It was then signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls,

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that there be and hereby is created a Commission of five, consisting of the President of the Senate and one member of the Senate appointed by the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House and two members of the House appointed by the Speaker of the House; this Commission to serve without pay except actual expense. The duties of the Commission shall be to report to the next Legislature recommendations for suitable legislation to open up the timber lands and wild lands of the State of Maine to settlers and home-makers.

The order received a passage, and was sent to the Senate.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved to reconsider the vote by which

Resolve reimbursing the town of Clifton for money paid to the State Treasurer as dog licenses in excess of amount actually collected as such in said town for the year of 1912 (House Document No. 702)

Was indefinitely postponed.

Discussion ensued.

On a viva voce vote the motion so to reconsider failed of a passage.

Mr. RICKER of Castine moved to reconsider the vote by which

Bill "An Act to require certain vehicles to carry lights at night on public highways and bridges" (House Document No. 114 or 513),

Was indefinitely postponed March 16.

Mr. GRANT of St. Albans called for a division when the vote on this motion should be taken.

The Speaker informed the House that the document in question was not then in the possession of the House, having been sent to the Senate for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The Senate was respectfully requested to return to the House said document.

Majority and Minority Reports of Committee on Temperance on Bill "An Act to provide for the sale of intoxicating liquors," Majority reporting "ought not to pass," and Minority reporting "ought to pass,"

Which were tabled March 10 pending acceptance of either report,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. FOSSETT of Portland moved the substitution of the Minority Report for the Majority Report.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. FOSSETT asked that when the vote be taken it be taken by a division of the House.

Mr. HANSON of Sanford moved the previous question, which the House ordered, and the motion to substitute the Minority Report for the Majority Report was lost by a vote of 37 to 86, on a division of the House.

On motion of Mr. DUTTON of Bingham,
The Majority Report was then accepted.

Bill "An Act to regulate the salaries of the Registers of Probate" (Senate Document No. 150),
Came up by assignment.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland offered House Amendment "C," moving its adoption, and it was so adopted.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston moved the adoption of House Amendment "B," and it was so adopted.

Mr. MILLETT of Belfast moved the adoption of House Amendment "A," and it was so adopted.

The Bill was then passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A," and House Amendments "A," "B," and "C," and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,
The House voted to take a recess to 4.00 o'clock P. M.

AFTER RECESS. .

Mr. MORSE of Rumford asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a report out of order, and introduced the following:

Report of the Oxford County Delegation on Bill "An Act to authorize the construction of a public building in Rumford for municipal and county purposes."

The report was accepted, and accompanying Bill ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a Bill out of order, and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act amending Section 11 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913,"

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled for printing.

Bill "An Act relating to salaries of the Judge and Recorder of the Bangor Municipal Court" (House Document No. 307),
Came up by assignment.

Mr. HILL of Corinth moved indefinite postponement.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln called for a division, which was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Bill was lost by a vote of 44 to 48.

The Bill was then read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of the Clerk of the Supreme Judicial Court" (Senate Document No. 160),
Came up by assignment.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption, and it was so adopted.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A," and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of sheriffs" (Senate Document No. 148),
Came up by assignment.

Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption.

Discussion ensued.

The Amendment was then adopted, and, on motion of Mr. CONNELLAN, the Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed, as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of county commissioners" (Senate Document No. 146),

Which was tabled March 12 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland, the Bill received its third reading and was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs ("ought not to pass") on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Waldo County Electric Light and Power Company,"

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. McKINLEY of Jackson,
The Report was accepted. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to construction of bridge over tide waters between Orrs Island and Baileys Island" (House Document No. 626),

Came up by assignment.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston moved indefinite postponement.

Discussion ensued.

On a viva voce vote the motion for the indefinite postponement of the Bill was lost.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act requiring reports from property owners in case of fire and fixing liability of owners under certain conditions" (House Document No. 379),

Came up by assignment.

This Bill was tabled in the House March 13 pending concurrence with the Senate in indefinite postponement.

Mr. DUTTON of Bingham moved that the House recede, and concur with the Senate in the indefinite postponement of the Bill, and the House so receded and concurred.

Bill "An Act to provide for the classification and compensation of clerical employees in State and County offices" (Senate Document No. 153),

Which was tabled March 13 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved to sustain the unanimous report of the Committee and to non-concur with the Senate's action in adopting Senate Amendments "B," "C," "D," "E" and "F."

Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland moved to table the Bill, with Tuesday assigned, and it was so tabled and assigned.

Bill "An Act relating to the commitment of idle and vicious girls to the Maine Industrial School for Girls" (Senate Document No. 298),

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
The Bill was again tabled, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to authorize Mousam Water Company to increase its capital stock" (House Document No. 740),

Which was tabled March 16 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HANSON of Sanford,
The Bill was recommitted to the Committee on Legal Affairs.
It was then sent to the Senate.

Majority and Minority Report of the Committee on Claims on Resolve in favor of Fred R. Smith (House Document No. 688),

Which was tabled March 13 pending acceptance of either report,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GRANT of St. Albans,
The Reports were again tabled, and assigned for Friday.

Report of Committee on Claims on Resolve in favor of DeForest Keyes (House Document No. 691),

Which was tabled March 13 pending acceptance of report,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The Report was again tabled, and assigned for Friday.

Report of Committee on Claims on Resolve in favor of
Herbert L. Kimball (House Document No. 690),
Which was tabled March 13 pending acceptance of report,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The report was again tabled and assigned for Friday.

Bill "An Act to provide for the convenience of travelers
upon electric cars" (House Document No. 497),
Which was tabled March 13 pending concurrence with Senate
in indefinite postponement,
Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

On motion of Mr. BROWN of Auburn,
The House non-concurred with the Senate in indefinite postponement of the Bill, and called for a Committee of Conference.

The Speaker pro tem appointed as House members of the
Committee on Conference Messrs. BROWN of Auburn,
SMITH of Hampden and McKINLEY of Jackson.

Mr. CONNERS of Bangor asked and obtained unanimous
consent to introduce a Bill out of order, and introduced the
following:

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 47 of the Public Laws of
1911, relating to liens on land."

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was referred
to the Committee on Judiciary. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. RYDER of Brownville,

Bill "An Act to amend Section 89 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 184 of the Public Laws of 1907, Chapter 94 of the Public Laws of 1909, and Chapter 46 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the choice of assessors of taxes" (House Document No. 583),

Which was tabled March 10 pending third reading.

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a Resolve out of order, and introduced the following:

Resolve relating to the distribution of the proceeds of the issue of bonds for State Highways.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The Resolve was referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. JAMESON of Friendship,
Adjourned to nine o'clock tomorrow, Thursday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, March 18, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingston of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of M. H. Hodgdon for services as Clerk and Stenographer to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game;

Resolve in favor of the Official Reporter of the Senate;

Resolve to provide for the payment of telephone service for members during the present session of the Legislature;

Resolve in favor of Claude W. Townsend, Jr., for services as Messenger to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to make uniform the reporting dates and periods of certain State Charitable and Correctional Institutions,"

Came from the Senate indefinitely postponed, and by the House was indefinitely postponed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act for the preservation of records of towns relative to marriages, births and deaths,"

Came from the Senate indefinitely postponed, and by the House was indefinitely postponed in concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Education reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 115 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 106 of the Public Laws of 1909, as further amended by Chapter 186 of the Public Laws of 1911 and as further amended by Chapter 45 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the appropriation for the support of the Normal and Training Schools" (Senate Document No. 295).

The report was accepted, accompanying Bill read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report "A" of the Committee on Judiciary reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 10 and 24 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the form of the official ballot for elections and the method of voting the same" (Senate Document No. 339. (Signed) Messrs. Cole, Durgain, Sanborn, Campbell and Waterhouse.

Report "B" of same Committee on same Bill reporting "ought not to pass." (Signed) Messrs. Connors, Connellan, McCarty, Butler and Pierce.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The reports were tabled pending acceptance of either, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Report of the Committee on Agriculture reporting same on Bill "An Act to promote the industry of horse breeding in Maine and provide for the registration of stallions" (Senate Document No. 340);

Report of the Committee on Claims reporting same on Resolve reimbursing the town of Otisfield for money expended on account of a State pauper (Senate Document No. 341);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve reimbursing the town of Orneville for expenses incurred in the commitment of an insane State pauper (Senate Document No. 342);

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Penobscot Valley Gas Company" (Senate Document No. 345);

Report of the Committee on Railroads and Expresses reporting same on Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine Central Railroad Company to retire a portion of its common stock, and to issue bonds, notes or preferred stock in place thereof" (Senate Document No. 347);

Report of the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting same on Bill "An Act to provide for the permanent improvement of land within the limit of any highway or townway adjoining any land not known as wild land" (Senate Document No. 348);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve appropriating money to aid in a survey for a bridge across the Taunton River between the towns of Sullivan and Hancock (Senate Document No. 349);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act authorizing the municipal officers of cities, towns and plantations to purchase, take over and hold land and materials for highway purposes" (Senate Document No. 351);

The reports were accepted, accompanying Bills read twice and accompanying Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the duties of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game."

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 29 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the closed time on deer in Cumberland County."

Report of the same Committee on Petition of Alfred L. Stevens and 130 others in favor of prohibiting night fishing with lights, reporting that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

Report of the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of smelts in Sebago Lake and its tributaries for sale," reporting that the same be placed on file, as the subject matter is covered by another Bill.

Report of the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance, on Bill "An Act relating to deposits of assessment casualty insurance companies," reporting "ought not to pass."

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 96 of the Revised Statutes, relative to leases."

Mr. HANSON of Sanford moved that the House refuse to receive the Bill, but subsequently withdrew his motion, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was indefinitely postponed.

Bill "An Act in relation to boards of registration of voters,"

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Was indefinitely postponed.

Resolve in favor of the physician at the Maine State Prison.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer moved to indefinitely postpone the Resolve, and on this motion a viva voce vote left the result in doubt. A division of the House was had on the motion, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Bill prevailed by a vote of 70 to 40.

Resolve in favor of Fred S. Rand,

Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of the Committee on Insane Hospitals,

Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

These papers were sent to the Senate.

Mr. WARD from the Committee on Banks and Banking reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 204, Public Laws 1913, entitled 'An Act to regulate the business of dealing in securities;'"

Mr. WOODMAN from the Committee on Claims reported same on Resolve in favor of the city of Biddeford;

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the city of Biddeford, reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. CONNERS from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to increase the powers of the county commissioners of Penobscot County in regard to making temporary loans additional to Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes of 1903;"

Mr. CLIFFORD from the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to provide for publicity respecting the membership of mercantile partnerships and for identification of individual merchants in certain cases, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

Mr. THOMBS from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 297 of the Private and Special

Laws of 1907, relating to the Fort Kent Village Corporation," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

Mr. THIBODEAU from the Committee on Library reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Maine State Library;

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Bill "An Act in favor of an appropriation to restore the early records in the office of the clerk of courts for York County," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

Mr. DUTTON from the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance, on Bill "An Act to regulate the sale of lightning rods," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

Mr. HOLT from the Committee on Military Affairs, on Resolve in favor of Fort William Henry at Pemaquid, in the town of Bristol, reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve appropriating money for the care and maintenance of Fort William Henry in the town of Bristol, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions, on Resolve in favor of Rena Cooley of Augusta, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 19 of Chapter 16 of the Revised Statutes so as to create the Trustees of the Local Methodist Episcopal Churches a corporation;"

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 31 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act to authorize the Houlton Water Company to generate, sell and distribute electricity,' as amended by Chapter 106 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907;"

Mr. HANSON from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported same on Bill "An Act relating to the accounts of the

various State examining boards and to provide for the bonding of all officials and clerks who handle public moneys;”

Mr. CAMPBELL from same Committee reported same on Bill “An Act to amend Section 75 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, relating to loans in anticipation of issue of bonds or notes;”

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Bill “An Act to authorize the Norway and Paris Street Railway to purchase or lease the property and franchise of the Mechanic Falls Electric Light Company;”

Mr. CONNERS from same Committee reported same on Bill “An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 114 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the relief of poor debtors;”

The same gentleman from same Committee reported “ought to pass” on Resolve in favor of Mary A. Moulton of Cushing, Maine;

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Mary J. D. Arkett of Woodstock;

Mr. MICHAUD from the Committee on Public Health, on Bill “An Act relating to the inspection of hotels, inns, and rooming houses,” reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

Mr. CONNERS from the Committee on Revision of the Statutes reported “ought to pass” on Bill “An Act to repeal Section 9 of Chapter 73 of the Revised Statutes, requiring the consent of the overseer of the poor to sales of real estate by guardians in certain cases;”

Mr. DANFORTH from the Committee on School for Feeble Minded, on Resolve in favor of Ozias M. Goff of Gray, Maine, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. JAMESON from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries, on Bill “An Act to regulate the shipment of lobsters

by shippers with an established place of business," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

On motion of Mr. JAMESON of Friendship,

Was tabled pending acceptance and for printing, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Mr. JAMESON from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to provide for the destruction of dog fish and other members of the shark species in the waters of Maine," reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. GOLDTHWAIT from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to provide for licensing lobster fishermen and the better protection of the lobster fisheries," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to provide for the granting of lobster licenses and giving State-wide jurisdiction to wardens," and that it ought to pass;

Mr. DAIGLE from the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation, on Bill "An Act relating to scaling round timber and marking the contents on same," reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

Mr. COBB from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve in favor of State aid for the support of the Eastport Bridge, reported same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the bridge between Eastport and Perry, and that it ought to pass.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, on Resolve in favor of the town of Cushing for the improvement of the Back Road, so called, reported same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing road in the town of Cushing, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. WOODMAN from the Committee on Claims reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of John A. McDonald.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Petition of Charles F. Stevens and 37 others to prohibit the throwing of sawdust into Concord River or any of its tributaries, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw;

Mr. HANSON from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 57 of Chapter 27 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the punishment for intoxication;"

Mr. THIBODEAU from the Committee on Library, on Report of the State Historian for the years 1913 and 1914, reported that the same be placed on file.

Mr. DUTTON from the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 131 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 114 of the Laws of 1913, relating to taxing insurance companies not authorized to do business in Maine;"

Mr. SMALL from the Committee on Pensions, on Resolve in favor of John French of Lewiston, Maine, reported that legislation is inexpedient, as pension can be cared for under general law;

Mr. MICHAUD from the Committee on Public Health, on extract from report of the Joint Standing Committee on Governor's Message, reported that the same be placed on file;

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Annual Report upon births, marriages, divorces and deaths in the State of Maine for the year ending December 31, 1913, reported that the same be placed on file;

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Seventeenth Report of State Board of Health, reported that the same be placed on file;

Mr. DANFORTH from the Committee on School for Feeble Minded reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide for the care, support and maintenance of the State poor;"

Mr. JAMESON from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reported same on Bill "An Act to provide for plugging lobsters;"

Mr. SMALL from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 38 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes of Maine as amended by Chapter 143 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to seines;"

Mr. COBB from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported same on Bill "An Act to amend various charters granted the proprietors of the Eastport Bridge and the city of Eastport, relating to the erection and maintenance of a bridge between Eastport and Perry;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of a road in the towns of Amherst and Clifton in the Counties of Hancock and Penobscot respectively;

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Reports "A" and "B" of the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries, on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 17 and 20 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, as amended, relating to the measurement of lobsters, and to add thereto Section 29 as hereinafter set forth; Report "A," reporting "ought not to pass," being signed by Messrs. Peacock, Scammon, Mulligan, Hodgkins, McCurdy and Small; Report "B," reporting a new draft, under title of "An Act to amend Sections 17 and 20 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, as amended, relating to the measurement of lobsters," and that it ought to pass, being signed by Messrs. Chatto, Jameson, Ames and Goldthwait;

On motion of Mr. GOLDTHWAIT of Biddeford,

The reports were tabled pending acceptance of either, and for printing of new draft of Bill, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Report "A" of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game

reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide for a resident hunter's license;"

(Signed) Messrs. Allen,
Colby,
Herrick,
Gerrish,
Drummond.

Report "B" of the same Committee on same Bill reporting "ought not to pass;"

(Signed) Messrs. Goodwin,
McNally,
Greaton,
Wheeler,
Wyman.

On motion of Mr. GOODWIN of Mexico,
The reports were tabled pending acceptance of either, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 47 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the use of motor boats in hunting sea birds, duck or water fowl" (House Document No. 640);

Was read twice,

Mr. GERRISH of Greenville offered House Amendment "A," which was adopted. Tomorrow was assigned for third reading of Bill.

Bill "An Act to regulate anchorage in waters of Moosehead Lake bordering on Kineo" (House Document No. 645);

Bill "An Act amending Chapter 241 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, entitled 'An Act to supply the town of Lisbon with pure water'" (House Document No. 647);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, amended, relating to the destruction of fish, in tidal waters, by means of dynamite or poisonous or stupefying substances" (House Document No. 646);

Resolve in favor of the Great Northern Paper Company" (House Document No. 755);

Resolve in favor of the Children's Aid Society of Maine (House Document No. 768);

Resolve in favor of the Healy Asylum of Lewiston (House Document No. 767);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the highway over Hard-scrabble Hill in the town of Orland (House Document No. 780);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the highway over Marsh Hill in the town of Stockton Springs (House Document No. 781);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the road leading from Shin Pond to Mattagamon Post Office, Penobscot County (House Document No. 782);

Resolve in favor of the Girls' Orphanage of Lewiston (House Document No. 783);

Resolve in favor of the Old Town Hospital (House Document No. 784);

Resolve in favor of the W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children, Gardiner (House Document No. 785);

Resolve in favor of the Maine Children's Home Society (House Document No. 786);

Resolve in favor of the Webber Hospital Association, Biddeford (House Document No. 787);

Resolve in favor of the Good Samaritan Home Association, Bangor (House Document No. 788);

Resolve in favor of the Children's Protective Society of Maine (House Document No. 789);

Resolve in favor of the Maine Mission for the Deaf (House Document No. 790);

Resolve in favor of the York Hospital in the town of York (House Document No. 791);

Resolve in favor of the Greenville Junction Y. M. C. A. Hospital for maintenance (House Document No. 792);

Resolve in favor of the Daughters of Wisdom, St. Agatha (House Document No. 793);

Resolve in favor of the Bar Harbor Medical and Surgical Hospital (House Document No. 794);

Resolve in favor of the Eastern Maine General Hospital (House Document No. 795);

Resolve in favor of the Temporary Home for Women and Children for maintenance (House Document No. 796);

Resolve in favor of the Children's Heart Work Society of Maine, located at Portland (House Document No. 797);

Resolve in favor of the Maine Home for Friendless Boys (House Document No. 798);

Resolve in favor of the Waldo County General Hospital, Belfast (House Document No. 799);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Whetstone Pond, in Piscataquis County" (House Document No. 802);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Kingsbury Pond, in Somerset and Piscataquis Counties, and in the Bennett Ponds, so called, in Guilford, in Piscataquis County" (House Document No. 803);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Barker Pond, in Cornville, in Somerset County" (House Document No. 804);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Stat-

utes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Ship Pond Stream, in Piscataquis County" (House Document No. 805);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Pleasant Pond, Mud Pond, Horseshoe Pond and Oxbow Pond, situated in the Counties of Kennebec and Sagadahoc" (House Document No. 806);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in the Kennebec River, in Somerset County" (House Document No. 807);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Berry Pond and its tributaries, in the town of Winthrop and in the town of Wayne, in the County of Kennebec" (House Document No. 808);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Sand Pond, in Denmark, in the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 809);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Violette Brook, in Van Buren, in the County of Aroostook, above Hammond's Mill" (House Document No. 810);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Davis Stream and Monson Pond Stream, in the County of Piscataquis" (House Document No. 811);

Resolve in favor of altering and enlarging the State Prison at Thomaston (House Document No. 63);

The foregoing Bills were read twice and the foregoing Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Bill "An Act to authorize the construction of a public building in Rumford for municipal and county purposes,"

On motion of Mr. MORSE of Rumford,

Was read three times and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Madawaska Training School for permanent improvements and repairs (Senate Document No. 130),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Resolve read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve to provide for the construction and equipment of a central school building at the Maine School for Girls at Hallowell (Senate Document No. 214),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and Resolve read second time.

Mr. GREELEY of Portland moved indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer asked for a division of the House, which was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Resolve was lost by a vote of 55 to 62.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS, the Resolve was then passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Woman's College for practical instruction in agriculture and domestic science (House Document No. 278);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Maine Real Estate Title Company" (Senate Document No. 313);

Bill "An Act relating to the amortization of bonds of life insurance companies" (Senate Document No. 314);

Resolve making an appropriation for the purpose of obtain-

ing information in regard to wild lands for the purposes of taxation (Senate Document No. 315);

Resolve providing for the appointment of delegates to the conferences of the National Tax Association and for the payment of their actual expenses (Senate Document No. 316);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act permitting the use of automobiles in the town of Mount Desert" (Senate Document No. 319),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. SMALL of Mt. Desert offered House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

The Chair reserved its decision as to whether or not House Amendment "A" was in order.

The Chair then ruled that the Amendment was in order.

Mr. SMALL of Mt. Desert called for the yeas and nays on the question of the adoption of the Amendment.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer called for a division of the House on the motion, and Mr. SMALL withdrew his request for the yeas and nays.

The question being upon the adoption of House Amendment "A," on a division of the House, the Amendment was lost by a vote of 37 to 80.

The Bill was then read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve providing for the purchase of a certain portrait of Major General Joshua L. Chamberlain, a former Governor of this State (Senate Document No. 320);

Resolve in favor of Maine Central Institute for the maintenance of the courses of instruction (Senate Document No. 321);

Resolve in favor of the Nasson Institute for the maintenance and extension of its work (Senate Document No. 322);

Resolve in favor of Anson Academy for certain improvements and repairs (Senate Document No. 323);

Resolve in favor of Freedom Academy for equipment and repairs (Senate Document No. 324);

Resolve in favor of Saint Joseph's Academy, to assist in the payment of its debt and for permanent improvements and equipment (Senate Document No. 325);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan,

Was reconsidered the vote by which Senate Document No. 325 was just passed to be engrossed, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was tabled pending passage to be engrossed, and assigned for Friday, March 19.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 198 of the Public Laws of 1909 as amended by Chapter 192 of the Public Laws of 1911, and as further amended by Chapter 182 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the amount of the school equalization fund" (Senate Document No. 326),

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Was tabled pending third reading for receipt of report of Committee on Bills in the Third Reading.

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for the full maintenance and support of all State charges, for the years 1915 and 1916 (Senate Document No. 327);

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital to complete furnishings for the third female wing (Senate Document No. 328);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Resolves read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for reno-

vating the second male wing of the stone building (Senate Document No. 329),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Resolve was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 211 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to the Congregational Conference and Missionary Society of Maine" (Senate Document No. 330);

Bill "An Act to regulate and define the rights and privileges of newspaper correspondents in attendance upon the Legislature" (Senate Document No. 331);

Bill "An Act relating to salaries of the subordinate officers of the Senate" (Senate Document No. 332);

Resolve authorizing the Hospital Trustees to sell and convey the "Chase Merrill Place" owned by the State in connection with the Maine School for Feeble Minded and to expend the proceeds for the benefit of said School (Senate Document No. 333);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 100 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the transfer of patients from one insane hospital to the other, and to provide for the transfer of patients from the insane hospitals to the Maine School for Feeble Minded, and for the transfer of inmates from said School to either of said hospitals" (Senate Document No. 334);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolve read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money for the construction, equipment, service connection and furnishings of one brick building for

a central kitchen and bakery at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (Senate Document No. 335),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The Resolve was tabled pending second reading.

Bill "An Act providing for the disposition of inflammable material along the railroads and highways of the State" (Senate Document No. 336);

Resolve authorizing the Land Agent to lease Indian Ledge in Matinicus Harbor in Knox County (Senate Document No. 337);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 65 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 10 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to burial expenses of war veterans" (House Document No. 741);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the South Berwick Sewerage Company" (House Document No. 742);

Bill "An Act providing for the setting off of debts of legatees and distributees against legacies and distributive shares in estates of deceased persons" (House Document No. 743);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolve read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 481 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, entitled 'An Act to incorporate York Harbor Village Corporation'" (House Document No. 744),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. WATERHOUSE of Kennebunk,
The Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Bill "An Act to authorize the Clark Power Company to increase its capital stock" (House Document No. 745);

Resolve in aid of navigation on Sebago Lake, Songo River, Bay of Naples and Long Lake (House Document No. 746);

Resolve in favor of Van Buren College for maintenance and equipment (House Document No. 747);

Resolve making an appropriation for general maintenance and support of the University of Maine (House Document No. 748);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 81 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes relating to academies" (House Document No. 749);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 48 of the Public Laws of 1905, and Chapter 122 of the Public Laws of 1913, in relation to accounting for and expenditure of school funds" (House Document No. 750),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,

A new draft of the Bill was substituted for the original Bill.

The Bill was then read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. SNOW of Mars Hill,

The House voted to take a recess till 4.00 P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 182 of the Public Laws of 1907, providing that flags shall be furnished to schools" (House Document No. 751);

Resolve to provide for a celebration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the State of Maine, and the Three Hundredth

Anniversary of the Landing of the Pilgrims (House Document No. 752) ;

Resolve in favor of The Forks Plantation (House Document No. 753) ;

Were reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to protect agricultural and horticultural societies against fraud" (House Document No. 757),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved indefinite postponement of the Bill.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer moved to table the Bill, assigning it for tomorrow, and it was so tabled and assigned.

Resolve in favor of Leo Shay, Representative of Penobscot Tribe of Indians (House Document No. 758) ;

Resolve in favor of York County Children's Aid Society, Saco (House Document No. 759) ;

Resolve in favor of Maine Institution for the Blind (House Document No. 760) ;

Resolve in favor of the Rumford Hospital Association, for maintenance (House Document No. 761) ;

Resolve in favor of the Trull Hospital Aid Association, Biddeford (House Document No. 763) ;

Resolve in favor of the Augusta General Hospital (House Document No. 764) ;

Resolve in favor of the Presque Isle General Hospital for maintenance (House Document No. 765) ;

Resolve in favor of the Lewiston and Auburn Children's Home (House Document No. 770) ;

Resolve in favor of the Somerset Hospital (House Document No. 771);

Resolve in favor of the Bath City Hospital, of Bath, Maine (House Document No. 762);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Ross Lake and in Cary Lake, in Littleton, in Aroostook County" (House Document No. 772);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Dead Cambridge River, and other waters in Oxford County" (House Document No. 773);

Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine and New Brunswick Electrical Power Company, Limited, to exercise certain powers within the State of Maine" (House Document No. 774);

Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of non-resident guardians" (House Document No. 775);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Forty-four of Chapter Forty-one of the Revised Statutes, as Amended, Relating to Taking Smelts in Tide Waters.

An Act to Create a Crop Pest Commission.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Equalize the Salaries of the Judges of Probate.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was tabled pending passage to be enacted, and assigned for tomorrow.

An Act to Provide for a Closed Time on Bull Moose.

An Act Relating to Fees Received by Clerks of Courts in Naturalization Proceedings.

An Act to Repeal Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-eight of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-five, Entitled, "An Act Relating to the Use of Purse and Drag Seines in the Georges River."

An Act to Amend Section Sixty-nine of Chapter Twenty-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended, Relating to the Remuneration of Deputy Sheriffs.

An Act Providing for the Union of the Towns of Dover and Foxcroft as One Municipality.

An Act to Change the Name of the Maine Industrial School for Girls, and to Change the Title of the Principal Thereof to That of Superintendent.

An Act to Enable the State of Maine to Balance and Settle Its Accounts with the Various Municipalities of Maine on the First Day of December of Each Year.

An Act to Amend Section Eight of Chapter One Hundred Eighty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven as Amended by Section Two of Chapter Thirty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Appropriation for the Encouragement of Industrial Education.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the International Bridge between the Towns of Van Buren, Maine, and St. Leonards, New Brunswick.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Road in the Town of Columbia, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Constructing a Road in the Plantation of New Canada, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly

and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted and Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Repair of Roads and Bridges in Indian Township, in the County of Washington.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was tabled pending final passage, and assigned for Wednesday, March 24.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing Mill Cove Bridge in the Town of Robbinston.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Bridge Across the Penobscot River Between the Towns of Enfield and Howland.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge in the Town of Merrill.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing Seboeis Bridge in the Town of Howland.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Bridge Across the Piscataquis River in the Town of Howland.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Road in the Town of Abbot, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Main Highway, Leading from the Town of Franklin, in Hancock County, to the Town of Cherryfield, in Washington County, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Town of Concord, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge across Sourdabscook Stream in the Town of Hampden and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Rebuilding a Bridge in the Town of Cutler.

Resolve in Favor of the Madawaska Training School for the Construction and Furnishing of a Suitable Dormitory Building.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Road around Cook Hill in the Town of Jackson, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid Navigation on Sebec Lake.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Maintenance of Lights along the Narrows Connecting the Upper and Lower Richardson Lakes.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Towns of Greenwood and Woodstock, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge across the Carrabasset River in the Town of Kingfield, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge in the Town of Crystal and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Aroostook River Bridge in the Town of Ashland.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Town of Solon.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved to reconsider the vote by which was tabled Resolve appropriating money for the repair of roads and bridges in Indian Township.

On a viva voce vote the motion was lost.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan,

Ordered, That a message be sent to His Excellency the Governor requesting him to return to the House an Act entitled "An Act to establish a reformatory for women," for its further consideration.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland moved to have a correction made in the legislative record of yesterday, in which his name appeared where should have appeared that of Mr. GREELEY of Portland.

On a viva voce vote the motion was lost.

Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a Bill out of order, and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act to provide for the destruction of dog fish and other members of the shark family."

Mr. WARD of Augusta objected to the receipt of the Bill by the House, and called for a division of the House on the matter of its receipt. On a division the Bill was received by a vote of 64 to 26.

On further motion of Mr. MULLIGAN, the Bill was laid on the table for printing without reference to a Committee.

Mr. CLIFFORD of Lewiston asked a suspension of the rules to enable him to introduce a Bill out of order.

The rules were suspended, and he introduced the following:

Bill "An Act to define, regulate and control the business of the making of loans or advancements of money in sums of \$300 or less in amount, and to regulate the assignment of wages when given as security for any such loan or advancement."

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled for printing without reference to a Committee.

On further motion of same gentleman,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was just tabled for printing without reference to a Committee, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln asked a suspension of the rules to enable him to introduce three Bills out of order.

The rules were suspended, and he introduced the following:

Bill "An Act relating to the compensation of registers of deeds;"

Bill "An Act relating to the compensation of clerks of courts;"

Bill "An Act relating to the compensation of registers of probate;"

On further motion of same gentleman,
These Bills were tabled without printing.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The four following Resolves, which were tabled on his motion March 11, pending final passage, and this day came up by assignment,

Were finally passed. They were then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate:

Resolve appropriating money for reconstruction of Lord Bridge in Frankfort;

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing highway in Otisfield;

Resolve appropriating money to aid in construction of bridge across Sebec River in Milo;

Resolve appropriating money to aid in reconstruction of bridge in Montville.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Resolve appropriating money to aid in rebuilding a road through Lowell's Woods, in the town of Penobscot;

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing the New Kenduskeag Road in the town of Glenburn and providing for its future maintenance;

Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a bridge across Kenduskeag Stream in the town of Corinth;

Resolve appropriating money to aid the town of Forest City in repairing and reconstructing a bridge;

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing the Machiasport and East Machias Bridge;

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the repair and maintenance of the Gardiner and Randolph Bridge;

Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a bridge across Mattagoodus Stream in the Plantation of Webster in Penobscot County;

Which were tabled March 11 pending final passage, on motion of Mr. PIERCE, and on this day came up by assignment,

Were finally passed. They were then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to the Clark Power Company" (Senate Document No. 310),

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. DESCOTEAUX of Biddeford,

The Bill was again tabled and assigned for Wednesday, March 24.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 73 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the examination of pupils entering school after absence on account of sickness" (House Document No. 666),

Which was tabled March 17 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. BRANN of Winthrop,

The Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve providing for permanent outside service extension to present and proposed new buildings at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 675),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,

Came up by assignment.

Resolve for the construction of a power and central heating

plant at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 678),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The two above Resolves were again tabled, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Northport Village Corporation" (House Document No. 707),

Which was tabled March 17 pending adoption of House Amendment "A,"

Came up by assignment.

Mr. MILLETT of Belfast moved to indefinitely postpone House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

On a viva voce vote the Amendment was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill took its third reading, was passed to be engrossed, and was sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. WESCOTT of Bluehill,

Was reconsidered the vote by which

Resolve in favor of the physician at the Maine State Prison
Was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The rules were suspended, the Resolve read twice, and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Bill "An Act to create office of Commissioner of Inland Fish and Game" (House Document No. 406),

Which was tabled March 2 pending second reading,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, read the second time.

Mr. PIERCE then offered House Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill was then tabled pending acceptance of Amendment and third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer moved to reconsider the vote by which was passed Order requesting Governor to return to House Bill "An Act to establish a reformatory for women."

Mr. HIGGINS called for a division on the question.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered, and the motion to reconsider the vote by which the Order was passed, was lost by a vote of 75 to 64.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Drummond	Morse
Allen	Dutton	O'Connell
Ames	Evans	Perham
Averill	Fay	Peterson
Beal	Ford	Ranney
Benn	Gould	Ricker
Besse	Grant	Russell (Alfred)
Blake (Oakland)	Greaton	Ryder
Bonney	Greenlaw	St. Clair (Calais)
Bradbury	Hanson (Saco)	St. Clair (Rockland)
Bragdon	Hanson (Sanford)	Sanborn
Brann	Harper	Snow
Bussey	Hart	Thombs
Carson	Higgins	Tobey
Chaplin	Libby	Towle
Chamberlin	Littlefield	Tuttle
Clement	Lombard	Washburn
Cobb	Mansir	Waterhouse
Coffin	McKinley	Wescott
Daigle	McNally	Wise—64
Danforth	Mitchell	
Dilling	Morrison	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Bourque	Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)
Bernier	Brawn	Campbell
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Brown (Auburn)	Chadbourne

Clifford	Hill	Pierce (Farm'g'ton)
Colcord	Hobbs	Pierce (Houlton)
Conners	Hodgkins	Plummer
Corliss	Holt (Skowhegan)	Pollard
Currier	Jameson	Roberts
Davis	Lawrence	Robinson
Descoteaux	Lewis	Small
Douglass	Lord	Smith
Drapeau	Maxwell	Tabbutt
Durgain	McCarty	Tate
Edwards	McCorrison	Thibodeau
Fossett	McCurdy	Trafton
Gallagher	McIntire	Turner
Gerrish	Michaud	Ward
Gilmour	Millett	Wasgatt
Goldthwait	Mulligan	Webb
Gooding	Mullin	Welch
Goodwin	Neilon	Wheeler
Greeley	Newell	Wilkins
Greenleaf	Noyes	Wilson
Haraden	Peabbles	Woodman
Haskell	Perkins	Wyman—75

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Connellan	Jordan	Picher
Ellis	Leader	Russell (Lewiston)
Erskine	Meador	Varney
Holt (Gouldsboro)	Nicholas	Watts—12

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden,

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reporting Petitioners have leave to withdraw on petitions asking for law to permit taking of white perch in certain waters in Washington County,

Which was tabled March 6 pending acceptance,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the report was accepted. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. RICKER of Castine, on

Bill "An Act to require certain vehicles to carry lights at

night on public highways and bridges" (House Document No. 114 or 513),

Moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the Bill was indefinitely postponed, asking a suspension of the rules for that purpose.

Mr. BRANN of Winthrop asked for a division.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved to lay on the table Mr. RICKER'S motion to reconsider the indefinite postponement of the Bill, but later withdrew his motion.

A viva voce vote on the motion to reconsider leaving the question in doubt, a division of the House was had, and the motion to reconsider the vote by which the Bill was indefinitely postponed, prevailed, under a suspension of the rules, by a vote of 85 to 15.

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,

House Amendment "A" to the Bill was then adopted, and on further motion of same gentleman, tomorrow was assigned for third reading.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Friday.

C. C. HARVEY,

Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, March 19, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Phalen of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Neil L. Violette for services as Clerk to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation;

Resolve appropriating money to pay Winifred M. Bearce, Stenographer and Typist to the Secretary of the Senate;

Resolve appropriating money to pay Josephine I. Cony, Stenographer to the President of the Senate and for assistance rendered in the Senate office during the present session of the Legislature;

Resolve appropriating money to pay for indexing the papers left by this Legislature and for the proofreading and indexing the Senate Journal;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of the agents of the Tribes of the Passamaquoddy and Penobscot Indians;"

Was read three times and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules, in concurrence.

Resolve providing for the distribution of the Revised Statutes;

Resolves in relation to the completion of the Sixth Revision of the General and Public Laws and Appointing a Commissioner therefor;

Under suspension of rules were read twice and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Labor, on Bill "An Act regulating hours of employment and relating to conductors and motormen," reporting the same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act relative to the hours of labor of employees of street railway companies," and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 263),

Was accepted in concurrence, Bill read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

On motion of Mr. WESCOTT of Bluehill,

Was reconsidered the vote by which third reading of Bill was assigned for tomorrow, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled, and assigned for Wednesday, March 24.

Report of the Committee on Banks and Banking, on Resolve to provide for a revision of the laws relating to banks and banking (Senate Document No. 303), reporting that it be referred to the Committee on Revision of the Statutes.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to permit the town of Southport to obtain a supply of pure water" (Senate Document No. 343);

The report was accepted in concurrence, Bill read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Augusta" (Senate Document No. 344);

The report was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. WARD of Augusta,

Was tabled pending third reading for adoption of Amendment, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Report of the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 1, 2, 3 and 20 of Chapter 162 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the regulation of speed of motor vehicles" (Senate Document No. 350);

Minority Report of the Committee on Agriculture reporting

same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911, providing that the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner shall be a veterinary surgeon" (Senate Document No. 352); (Signed) Messrs. Conant, Bartlett, Moulton.

Majority Report of same Committee on same Bill reporting "ought not to pass;" (Signed) Messrs. Wilkins, Washburn, Blake, Hobbs, Peterson, Averill, McIntire.

On motion of Mr. McINTIRE of Waterford,

The reports were tabled pending acceptance of either, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Asylum for maintenance (Senate Document No. 353);

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Hayes Young Women's Home of Lewiston for assistance in carrying on its work (Senate Document No. 354);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Northern Maine General Hospital for maintenance (Senate Document No. 355);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Children's Hospital for maintenance and also for the reduction of the debt of said Institution (Senate Document No. 356);

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Central Maine General Hospital for maintenance (Senate Document No. 357);

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of St. Mary's General Hospital for maintenance (Senate Document No. 358);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Holy Innocents Home for Infants for maintenance (Senate Document No. 359);

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in

favor of the Knox County General Hospital for maintenance (Senate Document No. 360);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Maine General Hospital for maintenance (Senate Document No. 361);

Report of the Committee on School for Feeble Minded reporting same on Resolve appropriating money for the construction of one brick dormitory for inmates at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (Senate Document No. 362);

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reporting same on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Ellis Pond, in Somerset County" (Senate Document No. 363);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bill read twice, and Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bill and second reading of Resolves.

Report of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, on Second Annual Report of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, reporting that same be placed on file.

Report of same Committee, on that part of the Governor's Message relating to financial matters, reporting that same be placed on file.

Report of Committee on Interior Waters reporting "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of an appropriation to improve the navigation of the Fish River Lakes in Aroostook County.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 39 of Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the illegal transportation of intoxicating liquors."

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

The report was tabled pending acceptance, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Report of Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation reporting same on Bill "An Act to secure information relating to the yearly cut of timber from the wild land townships."

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of Highland Plantation in Somerset County, and to quiet the title to certain lands therein.

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the co-operative survey of the boundary line between the State of Maine and the State of New Hampshire.

Report of the Joint Standing Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation, asking leave to submit their final report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Conference, on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature, on Resolve in favor of Gorham P. Grant for refund of money paid in lieu of military service in the late War of the Rebellion (Senate Document No. 218), reporting that the House of Representatives recede and concur with the Senate in the passage of the Resolve to be engrossed.

Committee on part of Senate as follows:

Messrs. Conant

Murphy

Bartlett

Committee on part of the House as follows:

Messrs. Connellan

Ames

St. Clair

Came from the Senate read and accepted; and by the House was read and accepted in concurrence.

Report of Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation on Bill "An Act for the preservation, perpetuation and increase of the forests of the State of Maine," reporting the following order:

Ordered, The House concurring, that a Joint Special Com-

mittee, consisting of two on the part of the Senate and three on the part of the House, to serve after the adjournment of this Legislature, be appointed; that this Committee investigate the general subject of preservation, perpetuation and increase of the forests of Maine, as well as consider Bill "An Act for the preservation, perpetuation and increase of the forests of the State of Maine" (Senate Document No. 99), and report to the next Legislature; and that this Committee serve without compensation or expense to the State.

Came from the Senate with report accepted and accompanying Order read and passed, and by the House was accepted and accompanying Order read and passed, in concurrence.

Messrs. Colby, Clark, appointed on part of Senate;

Messrs. Pierce of Houlton, Cobb of Denmark, Durgain of Bangor, appointed on part of House.

Bill "An Act to provide for semi-monthly payments on account of State contracts,"

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Was tabled.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 85, Revised Statutes, relating to trial justices,"

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,
Was tabled.

Resolve in favor of Ina E. Chadbourne;

Resolve in favor of Reuel B. Soule for services as Clerk and Stenographer to the Committee on Banks and Banking;

Resolve in favor of Gardner K. Heath for services performed as assistant to Fortunat Belleau while he was acting Clerk pro tempore;

Resolve in favor of Gardner K. Heath for services in preparing a schedule of all Acts and Resolves carrying an appropriation or expenditure of money;

Resolve in favor of Raymond C. Frank for services as clerk to the Committee on Library;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that a Joint Select Committee be appointed, consisting of five members, three on the part of the House, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, and two on the part of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, to investigate as to whether any irregular practice or violation of law has existed in the State Land Agent and Forest Commissioner's Department during the past two years, and report fully thereon to this Legislature. Said Committee shall have the power to summon witnesses, examine books, papers and documents, and shall be attended by the Attorney General as counsel in conducting the investigation.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Order was tabled, and assigned for Wednesday, March 24.

Mr. LORD from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Committee on Public Health for expenses to Bangor;

Mr. COLCORD from the Cumberland County Delegation reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the powers of the County Commissioners of Cumberland County;"

The same gentleman from same Delegation, on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 181 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act to establish in Cumberland County a county farm,'" reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Same gentleman from same Delegation, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 181 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled "An Act to establish in Cumberland County a county farm," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

Mr. CONNERS from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Center Lovell Cemetery Association in the town of Lovell;"

Mr. CONNELLAN from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 204 of the Public Laws of 1856, in relation to the jurisdiction of the municipal court of the city of Portland, as amended by Chapter 28 of the Public Laws of 1887 and Chapter 134 of the Public Laws of 1895;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to further amend Chapter 204 of the Public Laws of 1856, relating to the recorder of the municipal court of the city of Portland;"

Mr. McCARTY from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to create a State Racing Commission;"

Mr. WATERHOUSE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Farmington Village Corporation;"

Mr. DUTTON from the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance, on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 21 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the use of the cinematograph, of cinetograph, kinetoscope and moving picture machines," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

Mr. COFFIN from the Committee on Military Affairs, on Bill "An Act to create a commission to act in conjunction with the State Armory Commission," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

Mr. ST. CLAIR from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 72 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, as amended by Chapter 160 of the Acts and Resolves of 1909, relating to Firemen's Memorial Sunday," reported same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to amend Chapter 4, Section 72 of Revised Statutes, of Maine, as amended by Chapter 160 of the Acts and Resolves of 1909, relating to Firemen's Memorial Sunday," and that it ought to pass.

The Reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolve ordered printed under joint rules.

Same gentleman from same Committee submitted the final report of that Committee, stating that they had acted on all matters referred to them.

Mr. HOLT from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to establish in Bangor, Maine, a home for convalescents and incurables;"

Mr. CAMPBELL from the Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 93 of the Revised Statutes, relating to recording mortgages of personal property as amended by Chapter 169 of the Public Laws of 1913," reported that the same ought not to pass, as same subject is covered by another Bill;

Mr. CLIFFORD from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide for the publishing of Private and Special Laws;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act prohibiting the flying of flags, banners or other emblems from automobiles;"

Mr. DUTTON from the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance reported same on Bill "An Act relating to the fixing of rates by fire insurance companies;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act creating a board of appeal for fire insurance rates;"

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Mr. GREELEY of Portland asked and obtained suspension of rules to enable him to introduce a report out of order, and so introduced the following:

Report of Committee on Towns, on Bill "An Act to divide the town of Kennebunkport and incorporate the town of North Kennebunkport," reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and accompanying Bill ordered printed under joint rules.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 115 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 106 of the Public Laws of 1909, as further amended by Chapter 186 of the Public Laws of 1911, and as further amended by Chapter 45 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the appropriation for the support of the Normal and Training Schools" (Senate Document No. 295),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to promote the industry of horse breeding in Maine and provide for the registration of stallions" (Senate Document No. 340),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Resolve reimbursing the town of Otisfield for money expended on account of a State pauper (Senate Document No. 341),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Resolve read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve reimbursing the town of Orneville for expenses incurred in the commitment of an insane State pauper (Senate Document No. 342),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved to indefinitely postpone the Resolve.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Resolve was tabled and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Penobscot Valley Gas Company" (Senate Document No. 345);

Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine Central Railroad Company to retire a portion of its common stock, and to issue bonds, notes or preferred stock in place thereof" (Senate Document No. 347);

Bill "An Act to provide for the permanent improvement of land within the limit of any highway or townway adjoining any land not known as wild land" (Senate Document No. 348);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in a survey for a bridge across the Taunton River between the towns of Sullivan and Hancock (Senate Document No. 349);

Bill "An Act authorizing the municipal officers of cities, towns and plantations to purchase, take over and hold land and materials for highway purposes." (Senate Document No. 351);

Resolve in favor of altering and enlarging the State Prison at Thomaston (House Document No. 63);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 47 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the use of motor boats in hunting sea birds, duck or water fowl" (House Document No. 640);

Bill "An Act to regulate anchorage in waters of Moosehead Lake bordering on Kineo" (House Document No. 645);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, amended, relating to the destruction of fish, in tidal waters, by means of dynamite or poisonous or stupefying substances" (House Document No. 646);

Bill "An Act amending Chapter 241 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, entitled 'An Act to supply the town of Lisbon with pure water'" (House Document No. 647);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Great Northern Paper Company (House Document No. 755);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. SMITH of Hampden moved to indefinitely postpone the Resolve.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Resolve was tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Resolve in favor of the Healy Asylum of Lewiston (House Document No. 767),

Was reported from committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted, Resolve read the second time, and passed to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

Was reconsidered the vote by which House Document No. 767 was passed to be engrossed, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was tabled pending passage to be engrossed, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23. On further motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve was tabled. On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer, the Resolve was read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Children's Aid Society of Maine (House Document No. 768),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved to table the Resolve, but subsequently withdrew his motion.

The Resolve was then read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing the highway over Hardscrabble Hill in the town of Orland (House Document No. 780);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the highway over Marsh Hill in the town of Stockton Springs (House Document No. 781);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing the road leading from Shin Pond to Mattagamon Post Office, Penobscot County (House Document No. 782);

Resolve in favor of the Girls' Orphanage of Lewiston (House Document No. 783);

Resolve in favor of the Old Town Hospital (House Document No. 784);

Resolve in favor of the W. C. T. U. Temporary Home for Children, Gardiner (House Document No. 785);

Resolve in favor of the Maine Children's Home Society (House Document No. 786);

Resolve in favor of the Webber Hospital Association, Biddeford (House Document No. 787);

Resolve in favor of the Good Samaritan Home Association, Bangor, (House Document No. 788);

Resolve in favor of the Children's Protective Society of Maine (House Document No. 789);

Resolve in favor of the Maine Mission for the Deaf (House Document No. 790);

Resolve in favor of the York Hospital in the town of York (House Document No. 791);

Resolve in favor of the Greenville Junction Y. M. C. A. Hospital for maintenance (House Document No. 792);

Resolve in favor of the Daughters of Wisdom St. Agatha (House Document No. 793);

Resolve in favor of the Bar Harbor Medical and Surgical Hospital (House Document No. 794);

Resolve in favor of the Eastern Maine General Hospital (House Document No. 795);

Resolve in favor of the Temporary Home for Women and Children for maintenance (House Document No. 796);

Resolve in favor of the Children's Heart Work Society of Maine, located at Portland (House Document No. 797);

Resolve in favor of the Maine Home for Friendless Boys (House Document No. 798);

Resolve in favor of the Waldo County General Hospital, Belfast (House Document No. 799);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Whetstone Pond, in Piscataquis County" (House Document No. 802);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Kingsbury Pond, in Somerset and Piscataquis Counties, and in the Bennett Ponds, so called, in Guilford in Piscataquis County" (House Document No. 803);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Barker Pond, in Cornville, in Somerset County" (House Document No. 804);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in the tributaries to Ship Pond Stream, in Piscataquis County" (House Document No. 805);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Pleasant Pond, Mud Pond, Horseshoe Pond and Oxbow Pond, situated in the Counties of Kennebec and Sagadahoc" (House Document No. 806);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in the Kennebec River, in Somerset County" (House Document No. 807);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to ice fishing in Sand Pond, in Denmark, in the County of Oxford" (House Document No. 809) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Berry Pond, and its tributaries, in the town of Winthrop and in the town of Wayne in the County of Kennebec" (House Document No. 808) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Violette Brook, in Van Buren, in the County of Aroostook, above Hammond's Mill" (House Document No. 810) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Davis Stream and Monson Pond Stream, in the County of Piscataquis" (House Document No. 811) ;

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved that, in the case of

Resolve providing for a laboratory building for the State Board of Health (House Document No. 538), the printed Bill be substituted for the original Bill, which was apparently lost or mislaid and the motion so to substitute prevailed. On further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

An Act to amend Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Entitled, "An Act to Consolidate and Revise the Military Laws of the State of Maine," as amended by Chapters Seven, and Eighty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven and as Further Amended by Chapters Three and One Hundred Fifty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Harry J. Bean.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Jesse Bachelder.

Resolve Authorizing the Land Agent to Sell and Convey Certain Lands in the Public Lots in Plantation Number Thirty-three, in Hancock County;

Resolve Authorizing the Land Agent to Sell and Convey a Certain Lot or Parcel of Land, Situated in the Public Lot of Dennistown Plantation, in Somerset County;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid Navigation on Rangeley Lake, Mooselucmeguntic Lake and Cupsuptic Lake;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for George N. Holland;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for George F. Phillips;

Resolve Authorizing the State Treasurer to Procure a Temporary Loan for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fifteen;

Resolve Authorizing the State Treasurer to Procure a Temporary Loan for the Year Nineteen Hundred Sixteen;

Resolve in Favor of the Maine School for the Deaf for Maintenance and the Payment of Running Expenses, also for the Purchase of Land and Building for a Girls' Dormitory and Hospital;

Resolve in favor of the Commission of Pharmacy;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Repair the Bridge across the Machias River in the Town of Whitneyville;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Town of Orneville and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof;

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Publication and Circulation of a School Text in Civics, Local Geography and Local History;

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purpose of Making Surveys, Plans and Estimates for a New Interstate Bridge between Kittery, Maine, and Portsmouth, New Hampshire;

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Construction of Approaches to the State Ferry at Eggemoggin Reach;

Resolve Appropriating Money for Replanking and Repainting the Bridge over the Penobscot River between East Millinocket and Medway;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Lake Road in Oxford County;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge across the Sandy River in the Town of New Sharon, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge across the Mattawamkeag River in the Town of Haynesville, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof;

Resolve Extending to Hon. D. D. Stewart of St. Albans the Thanks of the People of Maine for His Recent Gift to the State University;

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bill passed to be enacted, and Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution Giving Political Rights to Women upon Equal Terms with Men,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

The Resolve was tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in the Screening of Parker Pond in Kennebec and Franklin Counties,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolve finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle asked and obtained suspension of rules to enable him to introduce out of order a Bill, and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act relating to the protection of deer in the towns of Deer Isle and Stonington, in Hancock County,"

Which was simply a duplicate of Bill introduced in the House some weeks ago, and now apparently lost or mislaid.

On further motion of Mr. WASGATT, the Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to the removal of brown-tail moth nests within the limits of the highway" (House Document No. 684),

Which was tabled March 16 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. McINTIRE of Waterford,

The Bill was then read the third time, and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of School for Feeble Minded for improvement of roads (House Document No. 679),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Resolve was again tabled, and assigned for Wednesday, March 24.

Bill "An Act regulating the taking of clams in the town of Lamoine" (House Document No. 682),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill was read the third time, and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of heirs of Revolutionary soldier (House Document No. 697),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PLUMMER called for a division, which was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Resolve was lost by a vote of 54 to 23.

The Resolve was then read the second time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Joseph J. Roberts (House Document No. 698),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Resolve was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the town of Pittsfield (House Document No. 699),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Resolve was indefinitely postponed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Benjamin M. Jenness (House Document No. 701),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon.

The Resolve was read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner (House Document No. 704),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Resolve was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to protection of cod and ground fish off

coast of Lincoln and Sagadahoc Counties" (House Document No. 692),

Which was tabled March 17 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The Bill was read the third time, and passed to be engrossed.
It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve for the purpose of providing and operating patrol boats to be used in enforcing the laws relating to sea and shore fisheries (House Document No. 694),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro,
The Resolve was read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

At this point a concurrent order was received from the Senate, by that body read and passed, for the printing of 1500 extra copies of the Workmen's Compensation Bill.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
The House non-concurred with the Senate, refusing to pass the order.

Resolve in favor of the town of Castine (House Document No. 729),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The Resolve was read the second time, and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relative to granting of licenses by officers of Portland" (House Document No. 735),

Which was tabled March 17 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The Bill was again tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Resolve authorizing DeForest Keyes to bring a suit at law or equity against the State of Maine (House Document No. 691),

Which was tabled March 17 pending acceptance of report of Committee,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The Resolve was again tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Resolve in favor of Fred R. Smith (House Document No. 688),

Which was tabled March 17 pending acceptance of report of Committee,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GRANT of St. Albans,
The Minority report of Committee, "ought to pass," was accepted, and the Resolve was laid on the table for printing under joint rules.

Resolve authorizing Herbert L. Kimball to bring suit against the State of Maine (House Document No. 690),

Which was tabled March 17 pending acceptance of report of Committee,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The Resolve was again tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Act relating to commitment to Maine Industrial School for Girls (Senate Document No. 298),

Which was tabled March 17 pending passage to be engrossed,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan,

The Bill was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill An Act to protect agricultural and horticultural societies against fraud (House Document No. 757),

Which was tabled March 18 pending second reading and indefinite postponement,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill was read the second time, and tomorrow assigned for third reading, after a motion by Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon for indefinite postponement had been lost on a viva voce vote.

Resolve in favor Augusta State Hospital for renovating second male wing of stone building (Senate Document No. 329),

Which was tabled March 18 pending second reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan,

The Resolve was again tabled and assigned for Wednesday, March 24.

Bill An Act relating to school equalization fund (Senate Document No. 326),

Which was tabled March 18 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill was again tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Resolve in favor of St. Joseph's Academy (Senate Document No. 325),

Which was tabled March 18 pending passage to be engrossed,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan,

The Resolve was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Maine School for Feeble Minded for

construction, equipment, etc., of one brick building (Senate Document No. 335),

Which was tabled March 18 pending second reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Resolve was again tabled, and assigned for Wednesday, March 24.

Bill An Act to create office of Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game and to abolish the office of Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game (House Document No. 406),

Which was tabled March 18 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill was again tabled, and assigned for Wednesday, March 24.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The following 13 Resolves, which were tabled by him March 12 pending final passage, and came up by assignment, were finally passed. They were then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing and altering the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation;

Resolve in favor of town of Moscow;

Resolve in favor of Caratunk Plantation;

Resolve for bridge across Northeast Brook and Canoe Brook;

Resolve appropriating money to repair Mopang Bridge;

Resolve in favor of Whitneyville and Marshfield;

Resolve in favor of Trescott;

Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a bridge across South Branch of Dead River;

Resolve in favor of bridge in Addison;

Resolve to aid in rebuilding bridge in South Thomaston;

Resolve to reimburse town of Deblois for money expended in building a bridge;

Resolve in favor of Lucy A. Owens;

Resolve in favor of Western State Normal School.

Bill "An Act to require certain vehicles to carry lights at night on public highways and bridges" (House Document No. 513),

Came up for third reading,

Mr. RICKER of Castine moved the third reading of Bill as amended by House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

Mr. RICKER called for a division of the House on the motion he had made to give the Bill its third reading. The division was had, and the motion to give the Bill its third reading prevailed by a vote of 57 to 48.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. BRANN of Winthrop,

Resolve to provide for carrying out the provisions of Chapter 156 of the Public Laws of 1913 entitled "An Act to regulate the packing, shipping and sale of apples" (House Document No. 485),

Which was tabled March 9 pending second reading,

Was assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

On motion of Mr. GILMOUR of Westbrook,

Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Saturday.

C. C. HARVEY,

Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Dow of Gardiner.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolutions in favor of reformatory for women by the Maine State Board of Trade;

Resolutions in favor of same by the following:

Washington County Pomona Grange;

Federated Churches of Phillips;

Auburn Board of Trade;

Were placed on file in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of the Physician at the Maine State Prison;
On motion of Mr. MILLETT of Belfast,

The Resolve was tabled and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 47 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to liens on land;"

On motion of Mr. SMALL of Mt. Desert,

The Bill was tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

ORDERED, The House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn it be to meet Tuesday, March 23, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

This was received out of order.

Resolve relating to the distribution of the proceeds of the issue of bonds for State highways;

On motion of Mr. SNOW of Mars Hill,

The Resolve was tabled and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Resolve in favor of H. P. Hawes and Constance A. Gage, Clerk and Stenographer, respectively, to the Committee on Ways and Bridges:

Resolve in favor of Louis Garcelon for services rendered as Clerk of Committee on Agriculture;

Resolve in favor of C. W. Dutton;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Report of Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act to regulate the practice of the system, method or science of healing known as Osteopathy, creating a board of examination and regulation for those desiring to practice the same and providing penalties for violation of this Act," reported the same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to regulate the practice of the system, method or science of healing known as Osteopathy, creating a board of examination and registration for those desiring to practice the same and providing penalties for violation of this Act," and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 131);

On motion of Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle,

Was tabled pending acceptance, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide aid for mothers with dependent children" (Senate Document No. 346);

Report of the same Committee, on Bill "An Act to define and make certain the authority of school boards over school grounds, property and buildings" reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 365);

Report of the Committee on Railroads and Expresses reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of

the Androscoggin Valley Railroad Company" (Senate Document No. 367);

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Ocean and Northern Railroad Company" (Senate Document No. 368);

Report of the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve for aid in rebuilding a bridge between the island town of Southport and the town of Boothbay reported the same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in rebuilding a bridge between the island town of Southport and the town of Boothbay Harbor, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 369);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice and Resolve read once and Tuesday assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolve.

Majority report of Committee on Insane Hospitals reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for nurses' home" (Senate Document No. 370);

(Signed) Messrs. Fulton, Cole, Grant, Libby, Perkins, Harper.

Minority report of the same Committee reporting "ought not to pass" on same Bill.

(Signed) Messrs. Garcelon, Durgain, Plummer, Wasgatt.

On motion of Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle,

The reports were tabled pending the acceptance of either, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, on Report of State Treasurer and State Auditor on adjustment of accounts in the Treasurer's office in accordance with order of the 76th Legislature, reporting the accompanying Resolve, authorizing the State Treasurer and the State Auditor to adjust certain accounts in the State Treasurer's office (Senate Document No. 372);

Report of the Committee on Claims, on Resolve in favor of Mrs. Blanche M. Reynolds, Edward J. McWiggin reporting same in a new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of Mrs.

Blanche M. Reynolds, Edward J. McWiggin, Thomas Hawkins and William H. Hawkins, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 373);

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Jackson Pond, in the town of Concord, in the County of Somerset" (Senate Document No. 375);

Report of same Committee on Bill "An Act to amend Section 39 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of beaver" reporting the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 376);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice and Resolves read once, and Tuesday assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 54 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the qualification and duties of the inspectors of steamboats" (House Document No. 715);

The accompanying Bill, which had previously been passed to be engrossed by the House, came from the Senate indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Report of the Committee on Agriculture, on Report of the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner, reporting that same be placed on file;

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act for the erection of a monument to commemorate the Old Pilgrim's Trading Post at Ancient Koussinoc;"

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 93 of Chapter 4 of the Revised

Statutes, relating to attendance at theatrical exhibitions by school children;”

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill “An Act to repeal certain provisions of law relative to the duties of the Assessors of the city of Bangor in ascertaining the political preference of voters;”

Report of Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance reporting same on Bill “An Act to amend Section 31 of Chapter 49 of the Revised Statutes of 1913, relating to insurance and insurance companies;”

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill “An Act authorizing the insurance commissioner to review rates fixed by fire insurance companies or the representatives of fire insurance companies;”

Report of Committee on Military Affairs reporting same on Resolve in favor of the construction of the Perry’s Victory and International Peace Memorial, in conjunction with the National Government and the States of the Union, and providing for the appointment of commissioners;

Report of the Committee on State Prison, on Annual Report of the Inspectors, Warden and Subordinate Officers of the Maine State Prison, reporting that same be placed on file;

Report of same Committee, on Petition of Sarah W. Roberts, Annie E. Daggett and 11 others in favor of reformatory for women, reporting that same be placed on file;

Report of Committee on Ways and Bridges, on that portion of the Governor’s Message relating to highways, reporting that the subject matter has been considered in the various Bills and Resolves before the Committee, and that said Message be placed on file;

Report of Committee on Workmen’s Compensation, on Bill “An Act relative to compensation to employees for personal injuries received in the course of their employment and to the prevention of such injuries;” reporting that legislation thereon is inexpedient, as the subject matter is covered by another Bill under same title;

Report of Committee on Banks and Banking of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature submitting their final report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them;

Report of the Committee on Education submitting their final report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them;

Report of the Committee on Pensions submitting their final report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them;

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Miss Jennie M. Lyons, Stenographer to the Committee on Labor;

Resolve in favor of William C. Hanson, Clerk to the Committee on Labor;

Resolve in favor of Fortunat O. Michaud, Secretary of the Committee on Public Health;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. NICHOLS from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the official reporter of the House;

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Dana H. Danforth, Secretary of Committee on School for Feeble Minded;

Mr. WARD from Committee on Banks and Banking reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, relative to banks and banking;"

Mr. SANBORN from the Committee on Judiciary reported same on Bill "An Act to confirm the doings of the Forest Avenue Congregational Church;"

Mr. CONNERS from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 84 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to procedure in court;"

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of conference of commissioners and of the commissioners from Maine for the promotion of conformity of legislation in the United States;

Mr. CONNERS from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Southwest Harbor Water District;"

Mr. CAMPBELL from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 71 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891, incorporating the city of Oldtown;"

Mr. WATERHOUSE from same Committee reported same on Resolve to authorize John G. Fleming to bring suit at law or in equity against the State of Maine for a balance claimed to be due him on a highway contract;

Mr. CONNERS from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 199 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act authorizing the city of Bath to levy assessments for street improvements;'"

Mr. CAMPBELL from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 133 of the Revised Statutes, relating to jurisdiction of municipal courts;"

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Vinalhaven Lighting Company;"

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Inter-Urban Ferry Company;"

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to ratify and confirm the organization of the State Young Men's Christian Association of Maine, and to increase its powers;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Presque Isle Sewerage Company;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 161 of the Private Laws of

1913, relating to payment of small legacies to minors under decree of court ;”

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee, on Bill “An Act to amend the charter of South Portland,” reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass ;

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee, on Bill “An Act to repeal Chapter 158 of the Public Laws of 1911, relative to annual examination and verification of savings accounts,” reported same in a new draft, under title of “An Act amendatory of and additional to Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, relating to annual examination of savings banks and trust companies and verification of savings deposits, as amended by Chapter 158 of the Public Laws of 1911,” and that it ought to pass ;

Mr. CAMPBELL from same Committee, on Bill “An Act to amend Sections 56 and 57 of Chapter 47 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to rights of minority stockholders,” reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass ;

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee, on Bill “An Act to incorporate the Bath Water District,” reported same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass ;

Mr. HANSON from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported “ought to pass” on Bill “An Act to amend Section 54 of Chapter 125 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the appointment of cruelty agents ;”

Mr. HILL from same Committee reported same on Bill “An Act to provide for the disposition of contraband liquors ;”

Mr. HANSON from same Committee, on Bill “An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 114 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to arrests and disclosures on leaving the State,” reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass ;

Mr. HOLT from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds reported “ought to pass” on Resolve providing for steel filing cases in the office of the State Treasurer ;

Mr. COLCORD from the Committee on Ways and Bridges reported same on Bill "An Act for the temporary licensing of automobiles and motor vehicles;,"

Mr. BESSE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act amending Chapter 147 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to abolishment of grade crossings;,"

Mr. COBB from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to provide for the systematic maintenance of the principal thoroughfare in each municipality in the State;,"

Mr. POLLARD from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the State Highway Commission;

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. CONNERS from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act for the protection of life or property against loss or damage from steam boilers and steam engines operated by incompetent persons;,"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to the establishment of a Superior Court in the Counties of Cumberland, Kennebec, Androscoggin, Penobscot and Aroostook;,"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to annex the Suburban Water District and West Farmington Water District to the Farmington Village Corporation;,"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 12 of Chapter 227 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to voting in Bayville Village Corporation;,"

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes, relating to nuisances;,"

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to authorize the city of Waterville to acquire, own and maintain and operate an electric plant;,"

Mr. WATERHOUSE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act entitled 'An Act to prevent procreation of confirmed criminals, idiots, imbeciles and rapists;'"

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to regulate partnerships;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 429 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, relating to the establishment of a municipal court in Winthrop;"

Mr. CAMPBELL, from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 17 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 239 of the Public Laws of 1909, also to amend Sections 10 and 13 of said Chapter 17 of the Revised Statutes, relating to registration of physicians and surgeons;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to define and make plain the meaning of Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 328 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the reconstruction of the eastern span of the Old Town-Milford Bridge;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same of Bill "An Act to make uniform the law of acknowledgments taken outside the United States;"

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to establish the West Washington Municipal Court;"

Mr. CAMPBELL from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of masters in chancery to include the hearings upon libels for divorce;"

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to establish a Superior Court for the County of Penobscot;"

Mr. WATERHOUSE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act amendatory of Sections 67 and 68 of Public Laws of 1907, relating to reporter of decisions;"

Mr. CONNERS from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of the Supreme Judicial Court of Knox County;"

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to correct and protect helpless, neglected and offending children, to be known as 'The Children's Act;'"

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act amending Section 21 of Chapter 17 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 31 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the registration of physicians and surgeons;"

Mr. WATERHOUSE from the Committee on Judiciary reported same on Bill "An Act to establish the Presque Isle Municipal Court;"

Mr. HILL from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 69 of Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes, relating to appointment of special liquor deputies by the sheriffs of the several counties, and relating to the fees of said liquor deputies;"

Mr. CLIFFORD from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to make part of each election day a holiday;"

Mr. LEWIS from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to regulate cold storage of certain articles of food;"

Mr. THOMBS from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to provide for the confirmation of deputy sheriffs;"

Mr. GREENLEAF from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Paragraph 12 of Section 5 of Chapter 117 of the Revised Statutes, relating to certain fees of sheriffs and their deputies;"

Mr. THOMBS from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Allen Lumber Company," reported that the parties have leave to withdraw the Bill;

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Bill "An Act relative to untrue and misleading advertisements," reported that legislation thereon is inexpedient;

Mr. COBB from Committee on Ways and Bridges reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to authorize the construction of a bridge by the County of Cumberland;,"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, to provide for a more equitable distribution of funds for State aid roads;,"

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Majority report of the Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to repeal Section 1 of Chapter 213 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the appointment of road commissioner;" (Signed) Messrs. Conant, Burleigh, Colby, Durgain, Cobb, Colcord, Besse and Perham;

Minority report of same Committee on same Bill, reporting same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to amend Sections 13 and 14 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to road commissioners," and that it ought to pass; (Signed) Messrs. Wilkins and Pollard;

On motion of Mr. GRANT of St. Albans,

The reports were tabled pending acceptance of either, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Paper from the Senate.

Bill "An Act for a reorganization or consolidation of the Railroad Companies constituting the Boston and Maine Railroad System,"

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses, and by the House was so referred in concurrence. This Bill was received out of order.

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 87 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relating to the taking of lobsters within three miles of the islands of Matinicus and Criehaven" (Senate Document No. 283);

Bill "An Act providing for enumeration of neat cattle, sheep and swine" (House Document No. 756);

Resolve in favor of the Madigan Memorial Hospital of Houlton (House Document No. 766);

Resolve in favor of the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary (House Document No. 769);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Booker Brook, in Levant, in the County of Penobscot" (House Document No. 812);

Resolve for the completion of the fish screen at the outlet of Beech Hill Lake, in the town of Otis, Hancock County (House Document No. 814);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of fish in certain waters in Washington and Aroostook Counties" (House Document No. 815);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 43 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of game birds" (House Document No. 816);

Bill "An Act to regulate the taking of frogs from Big Fish Lake, Portage Lake, Square Lake, Eagle Lake, Long Lake, Soldier Pond and in the tributaries to said Pond and Lakes, in Aroostook County" (House Document No. 817);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 56 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the registration of guides" (House Document No. 818);

Bill "An Act additional to and to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Kennebago Lake, Little Kennebago Lake and the outlets of said Lakes" (House Document No. 819);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Belgrade Stream, a tributary to Snow Pond, in the County of Kennebec" (House Document No. 820);

Resolve to provide for screening the outlet of Schoodic Lake in Piscataquis County (House Document No. 821);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Shagg, Abbott and Little Concord Ponds and their tributaries, in Oxford County" (House Document No. 822);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Stratton Brook and in the tributaries to said Brook and in the Mount Bigelow Ponds, in Franklin County" (House Document No. 823);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Carrabasset River and its tributaries above the bridge at Bigelow" (House Document No. 824);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Mud Pond, Mirror Lake, sometimes called Parkis Pond, and their tributaries, and Bog Stream and its tributaries down as far as North Pond Stream, in Franklin and in Kennebec Counties" (House Document No. 825);

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Carrabasset Dam Company" (House Document No. 826);

Bill "An Act to provide safety appliances for cars running on street railways" (House Document No. 827);

Bill "An Act amending Chapter 44, Public Laws of 1907, relating to the Maine School for Feeble Minded" (House Document No. 828);

Resolve in favor of the Maine Society of the Sons of the American Revolution to provide markers for the unmarked

graves of the soldiers of the Revolution (House Document No. 829);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 209, Public Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act to regulate the business of dealing in securities'" (House Document No. 830);

Resolve in favor of the city of Biddeford (House Document No. 831);

The foregoing Bills were read twice and foregoing Resolves read once, and Tuesday assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Bill "An Act to permit the town of Southport to obtain a supply of pure water" (Senate Document No. 343),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Augusta" (Senate Document No. 344),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PERKINS of Augusta,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 1, 2, 3, and 20 of Chapter 162 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the regulation of speed of motor vehicles" (Senate Document No. 350);

Resolve in favor of St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Asylum for maintenance (Senate Document No. 353);

Resolve in favor of the Hayes Young Women's Home of Lewiston for assistance in carrying on its work (Senate Document No. 354);

Resolve in favor of the Northern Maine General Hospital for maintenance (Senate Document No. 355);

Resolve in favor of the Children's Hospital for maintenance and also for the reduction of the debt of said Institution (Senate Document No. 356);

Resolve in favor of the Central Maine General Hospital for maintenance (Senate Document No. 357);

Resolve in favor of the St. Mary's Hospital for maintenance (Senate Document No. 358);

Resolve in favor of the Holy Innocents' Home for Infants for maintenance (Senate Document No. 359);

Resolve in favor of the Knox County General Hospital for maintenance (Senate Document No. 360);

Resolve in favor of the Maine General Hospital for maintenance (Senate Document No. 361);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money for the construction of one brick dormitory for inmates at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (Senate Document No. 362),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Wednesday, March 24.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Ellis Pond, in Somerset County (Senate Document No. 363);

Bill "An Act to protect agricultural and horticultural societies against fraud" (House Document No. 757);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Repeal Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Twenty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Protection of the Golden Eye or Whistler in the County of Hancock;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Hunting of Water Fowl and Other Wild Birds in Back Bay, in Portland, in the County of Cumberland;

An Act to Repeal Certain Private and Special Laws, Relating to the Use of Motor Boats in Hunting Sea Birds, Duck and Water Fowl on the Coast of Maine;

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-eight of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Closed Season on Wild Hares or Rabbits;

An Act to Repeal Chapter Fifty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Entitled, "An Act to Regulate the Use of Certain Roads in the Town of Bluehill;"

An Act to Repeal Chapter Three Hundred and Seventy-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Protection of Ducks in Lincoln County;

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Lake Kezar, in the Towns of Lovell, Stoneham and Stow, in Oxford County;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Overset Pond, in the Town of Greenwood, in Oxford County;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in the Tributaries to Upper and Lower Wilson Ponds, in the County of Piscataquis;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in the Tributaries to Lake Kezar and in the Tributaries to Kezar River, in the County of Oxford;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taking of Smelts in Bryant's Pond and Its Tributaries, in the Towns of Woodstock and Greenwood, in Oxford County;

An Act to Repeal Chapter One Hundred and Sixty-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Hunting of Water Fowl and Wild Birds in Back Bay in Portland, in Cumberland County;

An Act to Amend Section Eighteen of Chapter Two Hundred Twenty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Proceedings where the Owner of a Vicious Dog Fails to Comply with an Order of the Court to Kill such Dog;

An Act to Amend Chapter Forty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-nine, Relating to the Policeman of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians;

An Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Eighty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Place for Bringing Actions upon Non-negotiable Choses in Action by Assignees;

An Act Authorizing Seboeis Plantation to Build and Maintain Its Roads and Bridges and to Raise Money Therefor;

An Act Authorizing Barnard Plantation to Build and Maintain Its Roads and Bridges and to Raise Money Therefor;

An Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred Twenty-nine of

the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, by Providing for the Appointment by the Public Utilities Commission of a Chief Inspector of Utilities;

An Act Confirming the Official Acts of Frank D. Fenderson, Acting as Register of Deeds for York County;

An Act to Incorporate the Libby Homestead Corporation;

An Act to Revive and Extend the Powers of the Kingman Developing Company;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Tufts, Dutton and Grindstone Ponds, in the Town of Kingfield, in Franklin County;

An Act to Repeal Section Forty-five of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Sea and Shore Fisheries;

An Act to Amend Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Portions of Rangeley Stream, Kennebago Stream and Little Kennebago Stream, in the Counties of Franklin and Oxford;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Horse Shoe Pond, in West Bowdoin College Township in the County of Piscataquis;

An Act to Amend Subdivision "Third" of Section Twenty-three of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Permitting Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings to Invest Their Deposits in the First Mortgage Bonds of Certain Bridge Companies;

An Act to Amend Section Eighty-nine of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Licensing of Foreign Investment Corporations;

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was reconsidered the vote by which was passed to be enacted,

"An Act to Establish a Reformatory for Women," which had been returned to the House by the Governor on the request of the House.

On further motion of same gentleman,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the same Bill was passed to be engrossed.

On further motion of same gentleman,

Senate Amendment "A" to the same Bill was adopted in concurrence.

On further motion of same gentleman,

Senate Amendment "B" was adopted in concurrence.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The Bill as amended by Senate Amendments "A" and "B" was passed to be engrossed in concurrence. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. MORSE of Rumford,

Ordered, That the use of the House of Representatives be granted the Committee on Railroads and Expresses Thursday afternoon, March 26, for a hearing upon the reorganization of the Boston and Maine Railroad.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was reconsidered the vote by which

Resolve relating to the distribution of the proceeds of the issue of bonds for State highways

Was this day tabled and assigned for Tuesday, March 23.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The House voted to insist on its action in referring the Resolve to the Committee on Ways and Bridges, and called for a conference.

The Speaker appointed as the House members of the Committee of Conference the following: Messrs. PERHAM of Woodstock, PIERCE of Houlton and WESCOTT of Bluehill.

On motion of Mr. SNOW of Mars Hill,

Adjourned to ten o'clock Tuesday morning, March 23.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
TUESDAY, March 23, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Quimby of Gardiner.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Clerk and Messenger to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses;

Resolve in favor of Neil S. Gray for services as Clerk and Stenographer to the Committee on Towns during the session of the Seventy-seventh Legislature;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Report of the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insur-

ance, on Bill "An Act amendatory of Section 128 of the Revised Statutes, relating to assessment casualty insurance companies," reporting same in a new draft, under title of "An Act amendatory of Section 128 of Chapter 49 of the Revised Statutes, relating to assessment casualty insurance companies," and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 379);

Report of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, on Resolve in favor of the Eastern Maine Orphans' Home, reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 380);

Report of the Committee on Education reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 63 of Chapter 15 of the Public Laws of 1913 as amended by Chapter 73 of the Public Laws of 1907 as amended by Chapter 116 of the Public Laws of 1909 as amended by Chapter 57 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to tuition of pupils in secondary schools" (Senate Document No. 381);

Report of the Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to restore the jurisdiction of trial justices in criminal offenses in the towns of Kittery and York" (Senate Document No. 383);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend the purposes and grant additional powers to the Atlantic Maritime Company" (Senate Document No. 384);

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 31 of the Revised Statutes, relating to steam riding galleries" (Senate Document No. 385);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to village corporations" (Senate Document No. 386);

Report of Committee on Workmen's Compensation, on Bill "An Act relative to compensation to employees for personal injuries received in the course of their employment and to the prevention of such injuries," reporting same in a new draft,

under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 388) ;

(Signed) Messrs. Burleigh, Conners, Cole, Clifford, Goodwin, Higgins, Sanborn, Boynton.

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bills read twice and accompanying Resolve read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolve.

Report of Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance, on Resolve for an investigation of the Hancock Mutual Fire Insurance Company, reporting the accompanying order :

Ordered, The House concurring, that the Governor, with the advice of the Council, appoint three commissioners, one of whom shall be an attorney, whose duty it shall be to take all necessary and suitable measures to ascertain the method of said Hancock Mutual Fire Insurance Company in conducting its business affairs, the amount of all money received, and paid out, for what purpose, and by whom, the amount of all its losses, and all expenses incurred by said Company, and by whom, from the date of its organization to the date of its suspension of business by the appointment of a receiver and to include all acts of said receiver. Said commissioners to report the result of such investigation to the Governor and Council, on or before the first day of October, A. D. 1915, and the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars shall be, and the same is hereby, appropriated for the purpose of said investigation (Senate Document No. 396) ;

The report was accepted in concurrence, and the accompanying order read and passed in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to require the setting of permanent bounds at the angles of lands conveyed ;"

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act for the prevention of the improper use of society badges," reporting that legislation is inexpedient, already covered by statute ;

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the

Twenty-fourth Annual Report of the Board of State Assessors, for the year 1914;

The report was placed on file in concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Clause 1 of Section 5 of Chapter 92 of the Revised Statutes, relating to foreclosures of mortgages;"

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Report of same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 53 of the Laws of 1913, 'An Act for the better regulation of the practice of dentistry,'" reporting that legislation is inexpedient, provided for by statutes;

The Bill was recommitted to the Committee on Legal Affairs, and sent to the Senate.

Report of Committee on School for Feeble Minded, on Report of the Maine School for Feeble Minded, reporting that same be placed on file;

Report of Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide for the construction of sidewalks;"

Report of Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance submitting their final report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them;

Report of the Committee on Towns submitting their final report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them;

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Resolutions of Brooklin Grange, representing a membership of 95, in favor of an Act providing for an investigation of the affairs of the Maine Central Railroad;

Resolutions of the following Granges, with their respective memberships, for the same purpose:

Wales Grange, 145; Goodwin's Mills Grange, 73; Caribou Grange, 463; Granite Grange, 122; Eastern Star Grange, 166; South Montville Grange, 102; Monmouth Grange, 292; Saga-

dahoc Grange, 151; Saco Grange, 150; Floral Grange, 75; Solid Rock Grange, 102; North Jay Grange, 343; Union Grange, 171; Pleasant River Grange, 165; North Saco Grange, 69;

Were referred to the Committee on Judiciary, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. DESCOTEAUX from the Committee on Labor reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 39 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to weekly payment of wages;"

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported the same on Bill "An Act to repeal Section 51 of Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 46 of the Public Laws of 1907, Chapters 70 and 257 of the Public Laws of 1909, Chapters 55, 118 and 143 of the Public Laws of 1911, and Chapter 87 of the Public Laws of 1913, relative to the employment of women and children;"

Mr. O'CONNELL from same Committee, on Bill "An Act relative to the employment of minors," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

Mr. HANSON from the Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act to authorize Mousam Water Company to increase its capital stock," reported same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act to authorize Mousam Water Company to increase its capital stock and to contract with the city of Biddeford for hydrant service," and that it ought to pass;

Mr. CONNERS from the Committee on Revision of the Statutes reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 73 of the Revised Statutes, relating to notices upon petitions for sale of real estate;"

Mr. CLIFFORD from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of bail commissioners;"

Mr. CONNERS from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to administering oaths required by law;"

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Bill

"An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proofs of wills;"

Mr. CLIFFORD from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to confer jurisdiction in equity upon the probate courts;"

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 69 of the Revised Statutes, relating to petitions for the adoption of children;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to provide for the binding of original papers filed in probate courts;"

Mr. McCARTY from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to transcripts of examinations of testimony taken in probate courts;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 1 of the Public Laws of 1907, providing for notice to registers of probate of names of corporate surety companies qualified to do business in the State;"

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to provide for the record in the registry of deeds of notices waiving testamentary provisions for husband or wife;"

Mr. CONNERS from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 13 of Chapter 67 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the return of commissioners of partition appointed by probate courts;"

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. McCARTY from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to define and make plain the meaning of Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 328 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the reconstruction of the easterly span of the Old Town-Milford Bridge;"

Mr. DAVIS of Old Town moved to substitute the Bill for the report.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,
The report was tabled pending acceptance.

Mr. DESCOTEAUX from the Committee on Labor, on Bill "An Act for the safeguarding of employees in factories, mills and workshops against danger from fires," reported that this Bill contains much merit and that in their opinion there is general need of improvement in fire protection and law enforcement throughout the State, but because of lack of sufficient time and means of securing accurate information on the matter, the Committee recommends that the same be referred to the next Legislature;

The report was accepted, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of an agent by a non-resident testamentary trustee" (House Document No. 776);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 98 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the time of opening and closing of polls at elections" (House Document No. 777);

Were read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Lisbon to supply gas and electricity" (House Document No. 778);

Was read once, and, on motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

Tabled pending second reading.

Resolve in favor of the city of Biddeford (House Document No. 832);

Bill "An Act to increase the powers of the County Commissioners of Penobscot County in regard to making temporary loans, additional to Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes of 1903" (House Document No. 833);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing road in the town of Cushing (House Document No. 834);

Resolve in favor of Mary A. Moulton of Cushing, Maine (House Document No. 835);

Resolve in favor of Rena Cooley of Augusta (House Document No. 836);

Bill "An Act relating to scaling round timber and marking the contents on same" (House Document No. 837);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the bridge between Eastport and Perry (House Document No. 838);

Bill "An Act to provide for the granting of lobster licenses and giving state-wide jurisdiction to wardens" (House Document No. 839);

Resolve in favor of Ozias M. Goff of Gray, Maine (House Document No. 840);

Bill "An Act to provide for the destruction of dog-fish and other members of the shark species" (House Document No. 841);

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 9 of Chapter 73 of the Revised Statutes, requiring the consent of overseers of the poor to sales of real estate by guardians in certain cases" (House Document No. 842);

Resolve in favor of Mary J. D. Arkett of Woodstock (House Document No. 843);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 75 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to loans in anticipation of issue of bonds or notes" (House Document No. 844);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 114 of the Revised Statutes, relating to a relief of poor debtors" (House Document No. 845);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 19 of Chapter 16 of the Revised Statutes so as to create the Trustees of the local Methodist Episcopal Churches a corporation" (House Document No. 846);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 31 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905 entitled 'An Act to authorize the Houlton

Water Company to generate, sell and distribute electricity,' as amended by Chapter 106 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907" (House Document No. 847) ;

Bill "An Act relating to the accounts of the various State Examining Boards and to provide for the bonding of all officials and clerks who handle public moneys" (House Document No. 848) ;

Bill "An Act to provide for publicity respecting the membership of mercantile partnerships, and for identification of individual merchants in certain cases" (House Document No. 849) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 297 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the Fort Kent Village Corporation" (House Document No. 850) ;

Resolve in favor of the Maine State Library (House Document No. 851) ;

Resolve in favor of an appropriation to restore the early records in the office of the Clerk of Courts for York County (House Document No. 852) ;

Bill "An Act to regulate the sale of lightning rods" (House Document No. 853) ;

Resolve appropriating money for the care and maintenance of Fort William Henry in the town of Bristol (House Document No. 854) ;

Bill "An Act relating to the inspection of hotels, inns and rooming houses" (House Document No. 855) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 181 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act to establish in Cumberland County a county farm'" (House Document No. 856) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 181 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act to establish in Cumberland County a county farm'" (House Document No. 857) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the powers of the County Commissioners of Cumberland County" (House Document No. 858);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Centre Lovell Cemetery Association in the town of Lovell" (House Document No. 859);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 204 of the Public Laws of 1856 in relation to the jurisdiction of the Municipal Court of the city of Portland as amended by Chapter 28 of the Public Laws of 1887 and Chapter 134 of the Public Laws of 1895" (House Document No. 860);

Bill "An Act to further Amend Chapter 204 of the Public Laws of 1856, relating to the Recorder of the Municipal Court of the city of Portland" (House Document No. 861);

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Farmington Village Corporation" (House Document No. 862);

Resolve in favor of Committee on Public Health for expenses to Bangor (House Document No. 863);

Bill "An Act to create a State Racing Commission" (House Document No. 861);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 21 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the use of the cinematograph, cinetograph, kinetoscope and moving picture machines" (House Document No. 865);

Bill "An Act to create a commission to act in conjunction with the State Armory Commission" (House Document No. 866);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, relative to banks and banking" (House Document No. 867);

Resolve in favor of Dana H. Danforth, Secretary of Committee on School for Feeble Minded, for the expenses of that Committee in visiting School for Feeble Minded at New Gloucester (House Document No. 868);

Resolve in favor of the Official Reporter of the House (House Document No. 869) ;

Bill "An Act relating to the Vinalhaven Lighting Company" (House Document No. 870) ;

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Inter-Urban Ferry Company" (House Document No. 871) ;

Bill "An Act to ratify and confirm the organization of the State Young Men's Christian Association of Maine and to increase its powers" (House Document No. 872) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 161 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to payment of small legacies to minors under decree of court" (House Document No. 873) ;

Bill "An Act to amend the city charter of South Portland thereby providing for the election of assessors by the citizens" (House Document No. 874) ;

Bill "An Act to provide sewerage in the town of Presque Isle" (House Document No. 875) ;

Bill "An Act to confirm the doings of the Forest Avenue Congregational Church" (House Document No. 876) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 84 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to procedure in court" (House Document No. 877) ;

Resolve in favor of conference of commissioners and of the Commissioners from Maine for the promotion of uniformity of legislation in the United States (House Document No. 878) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 71 of Private and Special Laws of 1891 incorporating the city of Old Town" (House Document No. 879) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 199 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913 entitled 'An Act authorizing the city of Bath to levy assessments for street improvements'" (House Document No. 882) ;

The foregoing Bills were read twice and the foregoing Re-

solves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 133 of the Revised Statutes, relating to jurisdiction of Municipal Courts" (House Document No. 880);

Was read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to provide aid for mothers with dependent children" (Senate Document No. 346);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Friday, March 26.

Bill "An Act to define and make certain the authority of school boards over school grounds, property and buildings" (Senate Document No. 365);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. BRANN of Winthrop,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Androscoggin Valley Railroad Company" (Senate Document No. 367);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Ocean and Northern Railroad Company" (Senate Document No. 368);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in rebuilding a bridge between the town of Southport and the town of Boothbay Harbor (Senate Document No. 369);

Resolve authorizing the State Treasurer and the State Auditor to adjust certain accounts in the State Treasurer's Office (Senate Document No. 372);

Resolve in favor of Mrs. Blanche M. Reynolds, Edward J. McWiggin, Thomas Hawkins and William H. Hawkins (Senate Document No. 373);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Jackson Pond, in the town of Concord, in the County of Somerset" (Senate Document No. 375) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 39 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of beaver" (Senate Document No. 376) ;

Bill "An Act providing for enumeration of neat cattle, sheep and swine" (House Document No. 756) ;

Resolve in favor of the Madigan Memorial Hospital of Houlton (House Document No. 766) ;

Resolve in favor of the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary (House Document No. 769) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Booker Brook, in Levant, in the County of Penobscot" (House Document No. 812) ;

Resolve appropriating money for the completion of the fish screen at the outlet of Beech Hill Lake, in the town of Otis, Hancock County (House Document No. 814) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to taking of fish in certain waters in Washington and Aroostook Counties" (House Document No. 815) ;

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 45 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the protection of game birds" (House Document No. 816) ;

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer offered and moved the adoption of House Amendment "A," which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

The Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to regulate the taking of frogs from Big Fish Lake, Portage Lake, Square Lake, Eagle Lake, Long Lake, Soldier Pond and in the tributaries to said Pond and Lakes, in Aroostook County" (House Document No. 817);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 56 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the registration of guides" (House Document No. 818);

Bill "An Act additional to and to amend Section 2 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Kennebago Lake, Little Kennebago Lake and the outlets of said Lakes" (House Document No. 819);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Belgrade Stream, a tributary to Snow Pond, in the County of Kennebec" (House Document No. 820);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money to provide for screening the outlet of Schoodic Lake in Piscataquis County (House Document No. 821);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted,

On motion of Mr. RYDER of Brownville,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Shagg, Abbott and Little Concord Ponds and their tributaries, in Oxford County" (House Document No. 822) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Stratton Brook and in the tributaries to said Brook and in the Mount Bigelow Ponds, in Franklin County" (House Document No. 823) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Carrabasset River and its tributaries above the bridge at Bigelow" (House Document No. 824) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Mud Pond, Mirror Lake, sometimes called Parkis Pond, and their tributaries, and Bog Stream and its tributaries down as far as North Pond Stream, in Franklin and in Kennebec Counties" (House Document No. 825) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 125 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907 entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Carrabasset Dam Company'" (House Document No. 826) ;

Bill "An Act to provide safety appliances for cars running on street railways" (House Document No. 827) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 44 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the Maine School for Feeble Minded" (House Document No. 828) ;

Resolve appropriating money for the Maine Society of the Sons of the American Revolution to provide markers for the unmarked graves of the soldiers of the Revolution (House Document No. 829) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 209, Public Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act to regulate the business of dealing in securities'" (House Document No. 830) ;

Resolve in favor of reimbursing the city of Biddeford for money expended in support of certain State paupers (House Document No. 831);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Rum Pond, in Piscataquis County;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Night Hunting;

An Act to Establish a Board of Education for the City of Bath;

An Act to Amend Paragraph Seven of Section One Hundred of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Course of Study in Common Schools;

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Seventy-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Improvement of Free High Schools;

An Act to Change the Name of the Maine Baptist Missionary Convention and to Unite with it the Maine Baptist Education Society and the Maine Baptist Charitable Society;

An Act to Extend the Time within Which the Farmington-Oakland Railway Shall Actually Commence Business;

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Livermore and Augusta Railway Company;

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Thirty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Seven, of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Limiting the

Time within Which the Wiscasset, Waterville and Farmington Railway Company is Authorized to Dispose of a Part of the Property of Said Company;

An Act Relative to the Hours of Employment of Women and Minors;

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes, Providing for the Prompt Payment of Poll Taxes;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Bent's Pond, in the Town of New Sharon, in Franklin County, and in the Town of Vienna, in Kennebec County;

An Act to Incorporate the Maine Real Estate Title Company;

An Act Relating to the Amortization of Bonds of Life Insurance Company;

An Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred Eleven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Congregational Conference and Missionary Society of Maine;

An Act to Regulate and Define the Rights and Privileges of Newspaper Correspondents in Attendance upon the Legislature;

An Act Relating to Salaries of the Subordinate Officers of the Senate;

An Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter One Hundred Forty-four of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section One of Chapter One Hundred of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Transfer of Patients from One Insane Hospital to the Other, and to Provide for the Transfer of Patients from the Insane Hospitals to the Maine School for Feeble Minded, and for the Transfer of Inmates from Said School to Either of Said Hospitals;

An Act Providing for the Disposition of Inflammable Material along the Railroads and Highways of the State;

An Act to Authorize the Construction of a Public Building in Rumford for Municipal and County Purposes;

An Act to Equalize the Salaries of Sheriffs;

An Act to Equalize the Salaries of the Registers of Probate;

An Act Establishing a Close Time on Lobsters in the Waters of Jonesboro and Roque Bluffs, in Washington County;

An Act for the Protection of Forests on the Island of Mount Desert;

An Act to Establish the Offices of Superintendent and Matron of the Portland City Home, and to Determine the Tenure of Office of the Same;

An Act Establishing a Close Time on Lobsters in Machias Bay and Adjacent Waters, in the County of Washington;

An Act Relating to the Salaries of Subordinate Officers of the House of Representatives;

An Act to Provide a Salary for the Turnkey or Jailor for the County of Oxford;

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Twenty-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to Supplies Furnished to Any Person or Family While Placed in Quarantine by the Board of Health;

An Act Prohibiting the Use of Automobiles or Motor Vehicles upon a Certain Branch Road in the Town of North Haven;

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Washington County Light and Power Company;

An Act Directing the Treasurer of State to Correct the State Treasury Records for the Years Nineteen Hundred Eight and Nineteen Hundred Nine Relating to the Payment of State, County and Forestry District Taxes on One Forty-eighth Part

of Township Number Two, Range Nine, West from the East Line of the State, in Piscataquis County;

An Act to Disorganize Muscle Ridge Plantation, in the County of Knox;

An Act to Provide for Professional Supervision of Schools of Remotely Situated Plantations;

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-nine of Chapter Forty-one of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Taking of Alewives by the West Harbor Ice Company;

An Act to Prevent Milk-borne Outbreaks of Infectious Diseases;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Simpson Pond, in the Town of Roque Bluffs, in the County of Washington;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Mill Brook and in Metalluc Brook, Tributaries to Upper Richardson Lake, and at the Mouth of said Metalluc Brook, in the County of Oxford;

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Metalluc Brook and in Mill Brook, in Franklin County;

An Act to Provide for the Permanent Improvement of Land within the Limit of Any Highway or Town Way Adjoining Any Land Not Known as Wild Land;

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Authorize the Maine Central Railroad Company

to Retire a Portion of Its Common Stock, and to Issue Bonds, Notes or Preferred Stock in Place Thereof,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed,

On motion of Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock,

Was tabled pending passage to be enacted, and assigned for Friday, March 26.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Penobscot Valley Gas Company;

An Act Authorizing the Municipal Officers of Cities, Towns and Plantations to Purchase, Take Over and Hold Land and Materials for Highway Purposes;

An Act to Amend Section One Hundred Fifteen of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred Eighty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Appropriation for the Support of the Normal and Training Schools;

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Fix the Salaries of the Agents of the Tribes of the Passamaquoddy and Penobscot Indians;

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was tabled pending passage to be enacted, and assigned for Thursday, March 25.

An Act to Amend Section Eighty-nine of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Eighty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Chapter Ninety-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, and Chapter Forty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Choice of Assessors of Taxes;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Ross Lake and in Cary Lake, in Littleton, in Aroostook County;

An Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred Eighty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Providing that Flags Shall be Furnished to Schools;

An Act to Amend Section Eighty-one of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended, Limiting the Amount of State Aid for Academies;

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Two Hundred Fifty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Authorizing the Clark Power Company to Increase Its Capital Stock;

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Seventy-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Examination of Pupils Entering School after Absence on Account of Sickness;

An Act Authorizing the Maine and New Brunswick Electrical Power Company, Limited, to Exercise Certain Powers within the State of Maine;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Dead Cambridge River and Other Waters, in Oxford County;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Fifteen Mile Stream and Its Tributaries, in the Counties of Kennebec and Waldo;

An Act to Amend Section Sixty-five of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Ten of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Pay-

ment by the State of the Burial Expenses of Honorably Discharged Soldiers and Sailors;

An Act Providing for the Setting Off of Debts of Legatees and Distributees Against Legacies and Distributive Shares in Estates of Deceased Persons;

An Act Relating to the Protection of Deer in the Towns of Deer Isle and Stonington, in Hancock County;

An Act to Repeal Section Twenty-five of Chapter One Hundred Forty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Commitment of Idle and Vicious Girls to the Maine Industrial School for Girls by Parents or Guardians;

An Act to Permit the Town of Southport to Obtain a Supply of Pure Water;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Ellis Pond, in Somerset County;

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Carry Out the Provisions of Chapter Eighty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Sealing of Weights and Measures;

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Payment of Expenses of Exhibiting and Premiums on, Maine Grown Fruit Shown at the New England Fruit Show;

Resolve in Favor of the Raymond Fish Hatchery for Repairs and Additions Thereto;

Resolve in Favor of an Appropriation to Complete the Historical Record of Maine Men Serving in the United States Navy during the War for the Suppression of the Rebellion, Eighteen Hundred Sixty-one to Eighteen Hundred Sixty-five;

Resolve Providing An Epidemic or Emergency Fund;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Rebuilding a Bridge

across the Dennys River between the Towns of Dennysville and Edmunds;

Resolve in Favor of the Eastern Maine Institute to Defray Expenses and Obligations Incurred in the Conduct of the School for the School Years Ending July first, Nineteen Hundred Thirteen and July First, Nineteen Hundred Fourteen;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Town of Upton, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge across Higgins Brook in the Town of Harmony, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Improving a Road in the Town of Cooper and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing Long Bridge in the Town of Plymouth;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing Highways in the Town of Hebron, and Providing for the Future Maintenance thereof;

Resolve in Favor of the Madawaska Training School for Permanent Improvements and Repairs;

Resolve Providing for the Appointment of Delegates to the Conferences of the National Tax Association, and for the Payment of Their Actual Expenses;

Resolve in Favor of Maine Central Institute for the Maintenance of the Courses of Instruction;

Resolve in favor of the Nasson Institute for the Maintenance and Extension of its Work;

Resolve in Favor of Anson Academy for Certain Improvements and Repairs;

Resolve in Favor of Freedom Academy for Equipment and Repairs;

Resolve in Favor of the Augusta State Hospital for the Full Maintenance and Support of all State Charges for the Years Nineteen Hundred Fifteen and Nineteen Hundred Sixteen;

Resolve in Favor of the Augusta State Hospital to Complete the Furnishings for the Third Female Wing;

Resolve Authorizing the Hospital Trustees to Sell and Convey the "Chase Merrill Place," Owned by the State in Connection with the Maine School for Feeble Minded, and to Expend the Proceeds for the Benefit of Said School;

Resolve Authorizing the Land Agent to Lease Indian Ledge in Matinicus Harbor in Knox County;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Everett A. Record;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Henry Golding;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Mary Harmon;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Arthur H. Murch;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Alice Gasper;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Susan E. Dawson;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Charles H. Kelley;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Luella Darling;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Frances H. Orrok;

Resolve in Favor of H. W. Nicholas, Secretary of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, for Certain Committee Expenses;

Resolve Compensating Will T. Collins, Mary Collins, and Alice A. Collins for Land Taken under Right of Eminent Domain by the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game for Fish Hatchery Purposes;

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Harmony for Expenses Incurred in the Support of Certain State Paupers;

Resolve in Favor of Alfred Yankauer for Services Rendered in Supplying the Attorney General with Information Regarding Certain Estates Liable to Pay Inheritance Taxes;

Resolve in Favor of Mary S. Hillman ;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Georgie S. Bates ;

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Meldon Nealley ;

Resolve Reimbursing Fortunat O. Michaud, for Expense Incurred by Reason of His Seat in the House of Representatives of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature Having Been Contested ;

Resolve in Favor of Higgins Classical Institute for Building Purposes ;

Resolve in Favor of Lee Academy for Liquidation of Certain Indebtedness ;

Resolve in Favor of the Ricker Classical Institute, for the Repair and Improvement of Buildings ;

Resolve in Favor of Westbrook Seminary for the Payment of a Certain Debt and for Furnishings for Alumni Hall ;

Resolve in Favor of North Yarmouth Academy for Repairs and Improvements and also for the Payment of Certain Indebtedness ;

Resolve in Favor of the Aroostook Central Institute for the Payment of Liabilities, and also for Repairs and Improvements ;

Resolve in Favor of the Town of Rumford for the Payment of a Claim for State Common School Fund for the Year Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen ;

Resolve in Favor of Limerick Academy for Aid in the Maintenance Thereof ;

Resolve in Favor of the Bridgewater Classical Academy for Maintenance ;

Resolve in Favor of Somerset Academy for the Payment of a Sum of Money Equivalent to the Amount Said Academy Would Have Received if Its Average Attendance had Exceeded Thirty Pupils ;

Resolve in Favor of Lee Academy for the Payment of Instructors;

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolves finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Maintenance of the Bureau of Horticulture,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was tabled pending final passage.

Resolve In Favor of the Treasurer of State to Enable Him to Properly Balance and Settle Accounts with the Various Cities, Towns and Plantations for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fourteen;

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed,

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution of the State an affirmative vote of two thirds of all the members elected to the House was required for its final passage.

On a division of the House, 116 members voted for the final passage of the Resolve, and none against it. Hence the Resolve was finally passed as an emergency measure.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Protection of Trees and Shrubs from the Ravages of Dangerous Insects and Diseases;

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution of the State an affirmative vote of two thirds of all the members elected to the House was required for its final passage.

On a division of the House, 108 members voted for the final passage of the Resolve, and none against it. Hence the Resolve was finally passed as an emergency measure.

Resolve Continuing the Unexpended Appropriation Provided by Chapter Three Hundred Twenty-one of the Resolves of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Entitled, "Resolve, in Favor of

Aid in the Construction of a Highway Bridge over the St. John River between Fort Kent, Maine, and St. Francis, New Brunswick;

Was reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution of the State an affirmative vote of two thirds of all the members elected to the House was required for its final passage.

On a division of the House, 90 voted for the final passage of the Resolve, and none against it. Hence the Resolve failed of final passage as an emergency measure.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve failed of final passage as an emergency measure.

The question now being on the final passage of the Resolve as an emergency measure, a division of the House was had, and 135 voted for the final passage of the Resolve, and none against it. Hence the Resolve was finally passed as an emergency measure.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

The House voted to take a recess till 2.00 o'clock P. M., also that the first thing to be considered at the afternoon session should be the Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution Giving Political Rights to Women upon Equal Terms with Men.

AFTER RECESS

Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution Giving Political Rights to Women upon Equal Terms with Men,

Which was tabled March 19 pending final passage,

Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. SANBORN of South Portland moved that, when the vote be taken, it be taken by the yeas and nays.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved the previous question, which the House ordered.

The question being upon the final passage of the Resolve,

and a two-thirds vote being required for same, the House ordered the yeas and nays.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Ames	Gould	Pollard
Averill	Grant	Ranney
Ballard	Greaton	Ricker
Beal	Greenlaw	Russell (Alfred)
Benn	Hanson (Sanford)	Ryder
Blake (Oakland)	Harper	St. Clair (Calais)
Bonney	Hart	St. Clair (Rockland)
Bradbury	Higgins	Sanborn
Bragdon	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Smith
Brawn	Holt (Skowhegan)	Snow
Brown (Auburn)	Jameson	Tabbutt
Bussey	Lawrence	Tate
Campbell	Leader	Thombs
Carson	Libby	Tobey
Chaplin	Littlefield	Towle
Chamberlin	Lombard	Trafton
Clement	McIntire	Turner
Cobb	McKinley	Tuttle
Coffin	Meader	Varney
Corliss	Mitchell	Ward
Daigle	Morrison	Wasgatt
Danforth	Mulligan	Washburn
Descoteaux	Mullin	Waterhouse
Dilling	Noyes	Watts
Drummond	O'Connell	Welch
Dutton	Perham	Wescott
Ellis	Peterson	Wise
Evans	Pierce (Houlton)	Woodman—88
Ford	Plummer	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Bernier	Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Connors
Besse	Chadbourne	Currier
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Clifford	Davis
Bourque	Colcord	Douglass
Brann	Connellan	Drapeau

Durgain	Haskell	Neilon
Edwards	Hill	Newell
Erskine	Hobbs	Nicholas
Fay	Hodgkins	Peabbles
Fossett	Lewis	Perkins
Gallagher	Lord	Picher
Gerrish	Mansir	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Gilmour	Maxwell	Roberts
Goldthwait	McCarty	Russell (Lewiston)
Gooding	McCorrison	Small
Goodwin	McCurdy	Thibodeau
Greeley	McNally	Wheeler
Greenleaf	Michaud	Wilson
Hanson (Saco)	Millett	Wyman—59
Haraden	Morse	

Those who were paired were:

Mr. Wilkins yes Mr. Robinson no.

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Jordan Webb

Hence the Resolve failed of final passage.

Bill "An Act relating to form of official ballot (Senate Document No. 339),

Which was tabled March 18 pending acceptance of either Committee report,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was again tabled, and assigned for Thursday, March 25.

Bill An Act to provide for the classification and compensation of clerical employees in State and County offices (Senate Document No. 153),

Which was tabled March 17 pending second reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was tabled, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to regulate the shipping of lobsters by shippers with an established place of business,"

Which was tabled March 18 pending acceptance of report,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. JAMESON of Friendship,

The report was accepted, and accompanying Bill ordered printed under joint rules.

Reports "A" and "B" of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Bill "An Act to provide for a resident hunter's license,"

Which was tabled March 18 pending acceptance of either report,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. GOODWIN of Mexico moved the acceptance of Report "B," "ought not to pass."

Discussion ensued.

Mr. DRUMMOND of Winslow, called for a division of the House, which was had, and Report "B" was accepted by a majority so great that the Speaker announced that it was not necessary to take the exact count. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to York Harbor Village Corporation" (House Document No. 744),

Which was tabled March 18 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. WATERHOUSE of Kennebunk offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption, and it was adopted.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill took its third reading and was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of Committee on Claims relating to Resolve in favor of Great Northern Paper Company, (House Document No. 755),

Which was tabled March 19 pending second reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
The Resolve was read the second time and passed to be
grossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the town of Orneville in the County of
Piscataquis (Senate Document No. 342),
Which was tabled March 19 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
The Resolve was read the second time and passed to be en-
grossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve providing for a laboratory building for the State
Board of Health (House Document No. 538),
Which was tabled March 19 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved the second reading of the
Resolve.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved the indefinite postponement
of the Resolve.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais asked for a division of the House
on the motion to indefinitely postpone.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton called for the yeas and nays, which
the House ordered, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the
Resolve prevailed by a vote of 87 to 54.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Brawn	Clement
Bernier	Brown (Auburn)	Clifford
Besse	Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Colcord
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Bussey	Connellan
Blake (Oakland)	Campbell	Conners
Bonney	Carson	Currier
Bourque	Chadbourne	Daigle
Bragdon	Chaplin	Danforth
Brann	Chamberlin	Davis

Descoteaux	Littlefield	Roberts
Douglass	Lord	Russell (Lewiston)
Drapeau	Maxwell	Small
Dutton	McCarty	Smith
Edwards	McCorrison	Snow
Ellis	McCurdy	Tabbutt
Evans	McIntire	Tate
Gallagher	McKinley	Thibodeau
Gerrish	McNally	Tobey
Gooding	Mulligan	Trafton
Goodwin	Mullin	Turner
Greaton	Neilon	Ward
Greenleaf	Newell	Wasgatt
Hanson (Sanford)	Noyes	Watts
Haraden	Peabbles	Welch
Haskell	Perham	Wescott
Hill	Perkins	Wheeler
Hobbs	Pierce (Houlton)	Wilkins
Holt (Skowhegan)	Plummer	Wilson
Lewis	Pollard	Wyman —87

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Gould	Nicholas
Allen	Grant	Peterson
Ames	Hanson (Saco)	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Averill	Harper	Ranney
Beal	Hart	Ricker
Benn	Higgins	Russell (Alfred)
Bradbury	Hodgkins	Ryder
Cobb	Holt (Gouldsboro)	St. Clair (Calais)
Coffin	Jameson	St. Clair (Rockland)
Corliss	Libby	Sanborn
Dilling	Lombard	Thombs
Drummond	Mansir	Towle
Durgain	Meader	Tuttle
Fay	Michaud	Varney
Ford	Millett	Washburn
Fossett	Mitchell	Waterhouse
Gilmour	Morrison	Wise
Goldthwait	Morse	Woodman—54

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Erskine	Lawrence	Robinson
Greeley	Leader	Webb——10
Greenlaw	O'Connell	
Jordan	Picher	

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs on An Act relating to
illegal transportation of intoxicating liquors,
Which was tabled March 19 pending acceptance,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
The report was tabled, and assigned for Thursday, March
25.

Reports of Committee on Agriculture on An Act relating to
Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner,
Which were tabled March 19 pending acceptance of either
report,
Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

On motion of Mr. McINTIRE of Waterford,
The majority report, "ought not to pass," was accepted on
a division of the House by a majority so large that the Speaker
declared it unnecessary to take the exact count. The report
was then sent to the Senate.

Bill An Act relative to the granting of licenses by municipal
officers of the city of Portland, (House Document No. 735),
Which was tabled March 19 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. COLCORD of Portland offered and moved the adoption
of House Amendment "A," which was adopted.

On further motion of same gentleman the Bill was read the
third time and passed to be engrossed as amended. It was
then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of DeForest Keyes (House Document No.
691),

Which was tabled March 19 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton offered and moved the adoption of House Amendment "A," which was adopted.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston offered and moved the adoption of House Amendment "B," which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was tabled for the printing of House Amendments "A" and "B," and assigned for Thursday, March 25.

Resolve in favor of Herbert L. Kimball (House Document No. 690),

Which was tabled March 19 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton offered House Amendment "A."

Mr. McCARTY offered House Amendment "B."

Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro offered House Amendment "C."

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN, House Amendment "C" was tabled for printing.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, the Resolve was tabled for the printing of House Amendments "A" and "B," and assigned for Thursday, March 25.

Bill An Act relating to school equalization fund (Senate Document No. 326),

Which was tabled March 19 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. RICKER of Castine asked the consent of the House to make a clerical correction in the Bill, and that consent was granted, the Clerk being instructed to make the correction suggested.

Mr. RICKER offered and moved the adoption of House Amendment "A," which was adopted,

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve to provide for carrying out the provisions of Chapter

156 of the Public Laws of 1913 entitled "An Act to Regulate the Packing, Shipping and Sale of Apples" (House Document No. 485),

Which was tabled March 19 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. BRANN of Winthrop moved the indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. BRANN called for a division, which was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Resolve was lost by a majority so great that the Speaker declared it unnecessary to take the exact count.

On motion of Mr. NEWELL of Turner,

The Resolve was then read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro asked and obtained unanimous consent to present two Resolves out of order, and presented the following:

Resolve for laying the county taxes for the year 1916,

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN, this Resolve took its two readings and was passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve for laying the county taxes for the year 1915.

On motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was tabled and assigned for to-morrow.

Resolve in favor of physician at Maine State Prison,

Which was tabled March 20 pending concurrence with Senate in indefinite postponement,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

The House voted to insist and called for a conference.

The Speaker appointed as the House members of the Committee on Conference Messrs. FOSSETT of Portland, MILLETT of Belfast and DRUMMOND of Winslow.

Bill An Act relating to liens on land,
Which was tabled March 20 pending concurrence with Senate
in indefinite postponement,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls,
The House voted to insist, and called for a conference.

The Speaker appointed as House members of the Committee
on Conference Messrs. CAMPBELL of Island Falls, CON-
NERS of Bangor and SNOW of Mars Hill.

Bill An Act to regulate the practice of Osteopathy,
Which was tabled March 20 pending acceptance of Com-
mittee report,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle,
The Bill was tabled and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill An Act to amend the charter of the city of Augusta
(Senate Document No. 344),
Which was tabled March 20 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PERKINS of Augusta,
The Bill was tabled and assigned for tomorrow.

Reports of the Committee on Ways and Bridges on Act
relating to road commissioners,
Which was tabled March 20 pending acceptance of either
report,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. POLLARD of Solon,
The reports were tabled, and assigned for tomorrow.

On motion of Mr. PERKINS of Augusta,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Wednesday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk

AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Dunnack of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting House Joint Resolution No. 92 of the General Assembly of the State of Connecticut, recommending an Amendment to the Constitution of the United States concerning polygamy;

Was accepted and placed on file in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to appropriate moneys for the expenditures of government for the year 1915,"

Came from the Senate read the second time and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

Bill was read twice.

On motion of Mr. HASKELL of Portland,

Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Bill An Act to Divide the Town of Bristol and to Incorporate the Town of South Bristol;

An Act to Incorporate the Mount Pleasant Cemetery Corporation;

An Act to Amend Sections One, Two, Three and Twenty of Chapter One Hundred Sixty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Regulation of Speed of Motor Vehicles;

An Act to Establish a State Reformatory for Women;

Resolve in favor of Shorthand Reporter to Committee on Railroads and Expresses;

Resolve in favor of H. P. Hawes for services as Clerk of the Committee on Insane Hospitals;

Resolve appropriating money for the purchase of filing cases for the offices of the Secretary of the Senate and the President of the Senate;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Remonstrance of Georgie Berry and five others against passage of hotel inspection Bill;

Was accepted and placed on file in concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance, on Bill "An Act relating to protection of life in public buildings" reporting same in a new draft, under same title and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 366);

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the duties of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game," reporting same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913 relating to the adoption of rules and regulations restricting fishing and hunting in cases of emergency," and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 374);

Report of same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 51 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to non-resident hunting licenses," reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 382);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, and accompanying Bills read twice, and to-morrow assigned for third reading.

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 40 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter

206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the closed season on fur bearing animals" (Senate Document No. 377);

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. GERRISH of Greenville,

Was tabled pending adoption of Amendment, and assigned for tomorrow.

Report of Committee on Judiciary reporting same on Bill "An Act to permit the citizens of Maine to express their desires regarding constitutional provisions" (Senate Document No. 414);

Came from the Senate indefinitely postponed, and by the House was indefinitely postponed in concurrence, on motion of Mr. WELCH of Machiasport.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 325 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, fixing the salary for the Recorder of the Municipal Court of Waterville" (House Document No. 500);

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. WARD of Augusta, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence. On further motion of same gentleman was reconsidered the vote by which Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence.

On further motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed. On further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence. On further motion of same gentleman, Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Mercantile affairs and Insurance reporting same on Bill "An Act directing the insurance commissioner to abrogate the licenses of foreign insurance companies under certain conditions" (House Document No. 722);

Came from the Senate indefinitely postponed in nonconcurrency.

On motion of Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham,

The House voted to insist on its previous action, and called for a Committee of Conference.

The Speaker pro tem appointed as House members of the Committee on Conference Messrs. BONNEY of Bowdoinham, BLAKE of New Gloucester and HASKELL of Portland.

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 16 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to primary elections;" Senate Document No. 387);

Report of the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries, on Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in the town of Cutler, Washington County," reporting same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters in the towns of Cutler, Trescott and Lubec, Washington County," and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 389);

Report of Committee on Taxation reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Sections 54 and 65 of Chapter 8 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 49 of the Public Laws of 1909, relative to the taxation of mortgages on real estate in savings banks and trust and banking companies," (Senate Document No. 392);

Report of Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve in Favor of appropriating money for the Middle Dam Carry, reporting same in new draft, under title of Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the Middle Dam Carry Road in the County of Oxford, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 393);

Report of same Committee on Resolve in favor of aid in the construction of a highway bridge over the St. John River between the town of Madawaska, Maine, and the city of Edmundston, New Brunswick (Senate Document No. 394);

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees reporting "ought

to pass" on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Clerk of the Commissioners of Inland Fish and Game" (Senate Document No. 395);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, and accompanying Bills read twice, Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Report of Androscoggin County Delegation reporting same on Bill "An Act to complete the records in the Registry of Deeds in Androscoggin County" (Senate Document No. 401);

The report was accepted in concurrence, and Bill read once.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

Bill was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 26.

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the South Berwick Sewer Company" (House Document No. 742);

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed, and, on further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Lena R. Pierce;

Resolve appropriating money to pay for proofreading and indexing the House Journal;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Petition of Guy H. Carver and 34 others of Jonesport, asking that the Greenleaf Dog Fish Bill be passed;

Was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on petition of J. Fred Lord of West Lebanon and seven others, asking for additional restrictions on fishing in Great Brook, a tributary to Salmon Falls River, and in Dixon Brook, a tributary to Great Brook, reported a Bill entitled "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1912, relating to fishing in Great Brook and in Dixon Brook, in York County," and that it ought to pass;

Mr. CONNERS from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Eden to own, maintain and operate an electric lighting plant;"

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine Water Company to take water from certain lakes in Washington County," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass;

Mr. CONNERS from same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 29 of Chapter 93 of the Revised Statutes, relating to mechanics' liens on buildings;"

The reports were accepted and accompanying Bills ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. CONNERS from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section five of Chapter 63 of the Revised Statutes relating to the rights of married women;"

The report was accepted, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary (House Document No. 769);

Bill "An Act relative to the use of the cinematograph" (House Document No. 779);

Resolve to authorize John G. Fleming to bring a suit at law or in equity against the State of Maine for a balance claimed to be due him on a highway contract (House Document No. 881);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Southwest Harbor Water District" (House Document No. 883);

Resolve providing for steel filing cases in the office of the State Treasurer (House Document No. 884);

Bill "An Act for the temporary licensing of automobiles and motor vehicles" (House Document No. 885);

Bill "An Act amending Chapter 147 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the abolishment of grade crossings of railroads" (House Document No. 886);

Bill "An Act to provide for the systematic maintenance of the principal thoroughfare in each municipality in the State" (House Document No. 887);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 114 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to arrests and disclosures on leaving the State" (House Document No. 888);

Resolve in favor of the State Highway Commission (House Document No. 889);

Bill "An Act to provide for the disposition of contraband liquors" (House Document No. 890);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 54 of Chapter 125 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the appointment of cruelty agents" (House Document No. 891);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Bath Water District" (House Document No. 892);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 56 and 57 of Chapter 47 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to rights of minority stockholders" (House Document No. 893);

Bill "An Act amendatory of and additional to Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, relating to annual examination of savings banks and trust companies and verification of savings deposits, as amended by Chapter 158 of the Public Laws of 1911" (House Document No. 894);

Bill "An Act to regulate the shipment of lobsters by shippers

with an established place of business" (House Document No. 896) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 17 and 20 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, as amended, relating to the measurement of lobsters" (House Document No. 895) ;

The foregoing Bills were read twice and the foregoing Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Bill "An Act amendatory of Section 126 of Chapter 49 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the reserve fund deposited with the State Treasurer by assessment casualty insurance companies" (Senate Document No. 379) ;

Resolve in favor of the Eastern Maine Orphans' Home for maintenance (Senate Document No. 380) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 63 of Chapter 15 of the Public Laws of 1913 as amended by Chapter 73 of the Public Laws of 1907 as further amended by Chapters 62 and 116 of the Public Laws of 1909 and as further amended by Chapter 57 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the tuition of pupils in secondary schools" (Senate Document No. 381) ;

Bill "An Act to restore the jurisdiction in criminal offenses to trial justices in the towns of Kittery and York" (Senate Document No. 383) ;

Bill "An Act to amend the purposes and grant additional powers to the Atlantic Maritime Company" (Senate Document No. 384) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 31 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the licenses issued by municipal officers of towns for the operation of steam riding galleries" (Senate Document No. 385) ;

Bill "An Act relating to the acquisition of land for playground and park purposes by village corporations" (Senate Document No. 386) ;

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Read-

ing, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolve read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relative to compensation to employees for personal injuries received in the course of their employment and to the prevention of such injuries" (Senate Document No. 388);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. DESCOTEAUX of Biddeford,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of an agent by a non-resident testamentary trustee" (House Document No. 776);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 98 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the time of opening and closing of polls at elections" (House Document No. 777);

Resolve appropriating money to reimburse the city of Biddeford for expenditures for the support of a certain State pauper (House Document No. 832);

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing road in the town of Cushing (House Document No. 834);

Resolve in favor of Mary A. Moulton of Cushing, Maine (House Document No. 835);

Resolve in favor of Rena Cooley of Augusta (House Document No. 836);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to scaling round timber and marking the contents on same" (House Document No. 837),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved indefinite postponement.

On motion of Mr. DUTTON of Bingham,

The Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing the bridge between Eastport and Perry (House Document No. 838);

Bill "An Act to provide for the granting of lobster licenses and giving state-wide jurisdiction to wardens" (House Document No. 839);

Resolve in favor of allowing Ozias M. Goff of Gray, Maine, to tap the water main to the School for Feeble Minded for a supply of water (House Document No. 840);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bill read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to provide for the destruction of dog-fish and other members of the shark species" (House Document No. 841),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Friday, March 26.

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 9 of Chapter 73 of the Revised Statutes, requiring the consent of overseers of the poor to sales of real estate by guardians in certain cases" (House Document No. 842),

Was reported from the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of a State pension for Mary J. D. Arkett of Woodstock (House Document No. 843),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 75 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to loans in anticipation of issue of bonds or notes" (House Document No. 844) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 114 of the Revised Statutes, relating to a relief of poor debtors" (House Document No. 845) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 19 of Chapter 16 of the Revised Statutes, so as to create the Trustees of the local Methodist Episcopal Churches a corporation" (House Document No. 846) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 31 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled 'An Act to authorize the Houlton Water Company to generate, sell and distribute electricity,' as amended by Chapter 105 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907" (House Document No. 847) ;

Bill "An Act relating to the accounts of the various State Examining Boards and to provide for the bonding of all officials and clerks who handle public moneys" (House Document No. 848) ;

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to provide for publicity respecting the membership of mercantile partnerships, and for identification of individual merchants in certain cases" (House Document No. 849) ;

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, and read the third time.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending passage to be engrossed, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 297 of the Pri-

vate and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the Fort Kent Village Corporation" (House Document No. 850),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Maine State Library (House Document No. 851),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for Friday, March 26.

Resolve in favor of an appropriation to restore the early records in the office of the Clerk of Courts for York County (House Document No. 852),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Resolve read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to regulate the sale of lightning rods" (House Document No. 853),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved indefinite postponement.

Discussion ensued.

The motion to indefinitely postpone was declared lost on a viva voce vote.

Mr. PLUMMER called for a division of the House, which was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone was lost by a vote of 56 to 37.

The Bill was then read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve appropriating money for care and maintenance of Fort William Henry in the town of Bristol (House Document No. 854),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Read-

ing, their report thereon accepted, Resolve read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to the inspection of hotels, inns and rooming houses" (House Document No. 855),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PERKINS of Augusta,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed.

Same gentleman then moved to reconsider the vote indefinitely postponing the Bill. The motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 181 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act to establish in Cumberland County a county farm'" (House Document No. 856);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 181 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, entitled 'An Act to establish in Cumberland County a county farm'" (House Document No. 857);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the powers of the county commissioners of Cumberland County" (House Document No. 858);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Centre Lovell Cemetery Association in the town of Lovell" (House Document No. 859);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 204 of the Public Laws of 1856 in relation to the jurisdiction of the Municipal Court of the city of Portland, as amended by Chapter 28 of the Public Laws of 1887 and Chapter 134 of the Public Laws of 1895" (House Document No. 860);

Bill "An Act to further amend Chapter 204 of the Public Laws of 1856 relating to the Recorder of the Municipal Court of the city of Portland" (House Document No. 861);

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Farmington Village Corporation" (House Document No. 862);

Resolve in favor of Committee on Public Health for expenses to Bangor (House Document No. 863);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, Resolve read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to create a State Racing Commission" (House Document No. 864),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. PERKINS of Augusta moved indefinite postponement.

On motion of Mr. DUTTON of Bingham,

The Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 21 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the use of the cinematograph, cinetograph, kinoscope and moving picture machine" (House Document No. 865),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to create a Commission to act in conjunction with the State Armory Commission" (House Document No. 866),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, relative to banks and banking" (House Document No. 867),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve in favor of Dana H. Danforth, Secretary of Committee on School for Feeble Minded, for the expenses of

that Committee in visiting School for Feeble Minded at New Gloucester (House Document No. 868);

Resolve in favor of the Official Reporter of the House (House Document No. 869);

Bill "An Act relating to the Vinalhaven Lighting Company" (House Document No. 870);

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Inter-Urban Ferry Company" (House Document No. 871);

Bill "An Act to ratify and confirm the organization of the State Young Men's Christian Association of Maine and to increase its powers" (House Document No. 872);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 161 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to payment of small legacies to minors under decree of court" (House Document No. 873);

Bill "An Act to amend the city charter of South Portland thereby providing for the election of assessors by the citizens" (House Document No. 874);

Bill "An Act to provide sewerage in the town of Presque Isle" (House Document No. 875);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to confirm the doings of the Forest Avenue Congregational Church" (House Document No. 876),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. CONNERS of Bangor offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption, and it was adopted.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 84 of the Revised Statutes relating to procedure in court" (House Document No. 877);

Resolve in favor of Conference of Commissioners and of the Commissioners from Maine for the promotion of uniformity of legislation in the United States(House Document No. 878);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, Bill read the third time, Resolve read the second time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 71 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891 incorporating the city of Old Town" (House Document No. 879),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,

The Bill was recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 133 of the Revised Statutes, relating to jurisdiction of municipal courts" (House Document No. 880);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 199 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act authorizing the city of Bath to levy assessments for street improvements'" (House Document No. 882);

Bill "An Act to increase the powers of the County Commissioners of Penobscot County in regard to making temporary loans, additional to Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes of 1903" (House Document No. 833);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Settle Claims for Land Damages Resulting from the Construction of the Easterly Span of the Bridge between the City of Old Town and the Town of Milford;

Resolve Reimbursing the Estate of James C. Braman for a Collateral Inheritance Tax Erroneously Assessed Against Said Estate and Paid by the Executors of the Will of Said Braman;

Resolve Reimbursing William F. Mason for Loss Occasioned by a Quarantine on Christmas Trees;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in a Survey for a Bridge across the Taunton River between the Towns of Sullivan and Hancock;

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Otisfield for Money Expended on Account of a State Pauper;

Resolve Making an Appropriation for the General Maintenance and Support of the University of Maine;

Resolve in Favor of Van Buren College for Maintenance and the Purchase of Equipment;

Resolve to Provide for a Celebration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the Admission of the State of Maine to the Union and the Three Hundredth Anniversary of the Landing of the Pilgrims;

Resolve in Favor of the Somerset Hospital for Maintenance;

Resolve in Favor of the Presque Isle General Hospital for Maintenance;

Resolve in Favor of the Rumford Hospital Association for Maintenance;

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Institution for the Blind for Maintenance;

Resolve in Favor of the York County Children's Aid Society for Maintenance;

Resolve in Favor of St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Asylum for Maintenance;

Resolve in Favor of the Hayes Young Women's Home of Lewiston for Assistance in Carrying on Its Work;

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolves finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in Favor of the Central Maine General Hospital for Maintenance,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,
The Resolve was tabled.

Resolve in Favor of the Children's Hospital for Maintenance and also for the Reduction of the Debt of Said Institution;

Resolve in Favor of the Maine General Hospital for Maintenance;

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Full Support of All State Charges at the Maine School for Feeble Minded;

Resolve Reimbursing Edmund E. Gould, a State Agent for the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, for Money Expended in Defending a Law Suit Resulting from Acts Committed by Him in Line of Duty;

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Mexico for Money Expended for the Support of Certain State Paupers;

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolves finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Reimbursing the County Commissioners of Penobscot County for the Cost of Repairs to the State Bridge across the Penobscot River between the City of Old Town and the Town of Milford;

Resolve Providing for the Distribution of the Revised Statutes;

Resolve in Relation to the Completion of the Sixth Revision of the General and Public Laws and Appointing a Commissioner Therefor;

Resolve in Aid of Navigation on Sebago Lake, Songo River, Bay of Naples and Long Lake;

Resolve in Favor of Saint Joseph's Academy, to Assist in the Payment of Its Debt and for Permanent Improvements and Equipment;

Resolve in Favor of the Lewiston and Auburn Children's Home for Maintenance;

Resolve Reimbursing The Forks Plantation for Money Expended on Account of a Certain State Pauper;

Resolve in Favor of the Augusta General Hospital for the Use and Maintenance Thereof;

Resolve in Favor of the Trull Hospital Aid Association for Maintenance;

Resolve in Favor of Leo Shay, Representative of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians, for Travel and Attendance at Regular Session of the Seventy-seventh Legislature;

Resolve in Favor of the Northern Maine General Hospital for Maintenance;

Resolve in Favor of the Holy Innocents' Home for Infants for Maintenance;

Resolve in Favor of the Knox County General Hospital for Maintenance;

Resolve in Favor of St. Mary's General Hospital for Maintenance;

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolves finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. GERRISH of Greenville,
Was reconsidered the vote by which
Bill An Act relating to the closed season on fur-bearing animals (Senate Document No. 377)

Was tabled and assigned for tomorrow.
Same gentleman moved the adoption of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The Bill was tabled, and assigned for tomorrow.

Mr. WOODMAN of Auburn asked and obtained unanimous

consent to introduce a Resolve out of order, and introduced the following:

Resolve to reimburse the town of Aurora for eighty-six dollars over-expenditure on the 1913 State aid road.

On motion of Mr. WOODMAN, the Resolve took its two readings and was passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Was reconsidered the vote by which was this day finally passed

Resolve Reimbursing the County Commissioners of Penobscot County for the Cost of Repairs to the State Bridge across the Penobscot River between the City of Old Town and the Town of Milford.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The Resolve was tabled, and assigned for tomorrow.

Mr. CONNERS of Bangor moved suspension of rules to enable him to introduce reports out of order. The rules were suspended, and he introduced the divided report of the Committee on Judiciary on

Bill "An Act to grant a new charter to the City of Bangor, Penobscot County, State of Maine, repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith" (House Document No. 59).

On further motion of Mr. CONNERS,

The Bill was tabled for the printing of both drafts.

Bill An Act to amend charter of the city of Augusta (Senate Document No. 344),

Which was tabled March 20 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. PERKINS of Augusta offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption, and it was adopted. The Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Reports of Committee on Ways and Bridges on Act relating to road commissioners,

Which were tabled March 23 pending acceptance,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. POLLARD of Solon moved the acceptance of the minority report, "ought to pass," and it was accepted.

The Bill was then laid on the table for printing under joint rules.

Ordered, The House concurring, that 1500 extra copies of the Workmen's Compensation Act, Senate No. 388, be printed for the use of this Legislature,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
The House voted to take a recess until 2.30 P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

Bill An Act relating to steamboat inspectors (House Document No. 715),

Which was tabled March 20 pending concurrence with Senate in indefinite postponement,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. WASHBURN of Perry,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed in concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Insane Hospitals on Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for nurses' home (Senate Document No. 370),

Which was tabled March 20 pending acceptance,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle,

The minority report, "ought not to pass," was accepted.

The reports were then sent to the Senate.

Bill An Act relating to appointment of harbor masters of the city of Portland (House Document No. 736),

Which was tabled March 17 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland,

The Bill received its third reading, and was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of roads and bridges in Indian Township,
Which was tabled March 18 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton offered and moved the adoption of House Amendment "A," which was adopted.

On motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the vote by which House Amendment "A" was just adopted. On further motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed. On further motion of same gentleman, House Amendment "A" was adopted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill An Act to Equalize the Salaries of Judges of Probate,
Which was tabled March 18 pending enactment,
Came up by assignment.

The Bill was passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Bill An Act relating to the Clark Power Company (Senate Document No. 310),

Which was tabled March 18 pending acceptance of report,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. DESCOTEAUX of Biddeford,
The report of the Committee was accepted.

On motion of Mr. DAVIS of Old Town,

The Bill took its three readings and was passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Reports "A" and "B" of the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries on An Act relating to measurement of lobsters,

Which were tabled March 18 pending acceptance of either report,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. GOLDTHWAIT of Biddeford moved the acceptance of Report "B."

Discussion ensued.

Report "B" was then accepted on a viva voce vote.

On motion of Mr. GOLDTHWAIT of Biddeford,
The Bill was then read twice.

Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro offered House Amendment "A," and on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled, and assigned for tomorrow.

Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce out of order a Bill, and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act for the better protection and preservation of the lobster fisheries, authorizing the appointment of a commission."

Mr. MULLIGAN moved that the Bill take its three readings and pass to be engrossed under suspension of the rules, without reference to a committee.

The Bill was read twice, when, on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, it was tabled for printing pending third reading.

Bill An Act to promote the industry of horse breeding (Senate Document No. 340),

Which was tabled March 19 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill An Act relative to hours of employees of street railways (Senate Document No. 263),

Which was tabled March 19 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. WESCOTT of Bluehill offered and moved the adoption of House Amendment "A," which was adopted, after discussion, on a division of the House, asked for by Mr. WARD of Augusta, by a vote of 91 in the affirmative to none in the negative.

On further motion of Mr. WESCOTT, the Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Augusta State Hospital (Senate Document No. 329),

Which was tabled March 19 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved the indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Discussion ensued.

On a viva voce vote the motion to indefinitely postpone was lost.

The Resolve was then read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved the reconsideration of the vote by which the House had just refused to indefinitely postpone the Resolve.

On a viva voce vote the motion for reconsideration was lost.

On motion of Mr. CLIFFORD of Lewiston,

Was reconsidered the vote by which Senate Document No. 329 was this day passed to be engrossed, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the House voted to concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Amendment "B."

The Resolve was then passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "B" and any amendments previously adopted.

Resolve in favor of improving roads at School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 679),

Which was tabled March 19 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Resolve was tabled, and assigned for Friday, March 26.

Bill An Act to create office of Commissioner of Inland Fish and Game (House Document No. 406),

Which was tabled March 19 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed.

Order relating to investigation of office of State Land Agent,

Which was tabled March 19 pending passage,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer moved indefinite postponement.

Mr. FOSSETT of Portland moved to table the Resolve,
assigning it for tomorrow.

Mr. CONNELLAN called for the previous question, which
the House ordered.

Thereupon Mr. FOSSETT withdrew his motion to table the
Resolve. The motion to indefinitely postpone the Resolve was
carried by a viva voce vote.

Resolve for the construction, etc., of a central kitchen and
bakery at Maine School for Feeble Minded (Senate Document
No. 335),

Which was tabled March 19 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Resolve was tabled, and assigned for Friday, March 26.

Resolve in favor of permanent outside service extension at
Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 675),

Which was tabled March 19 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved the indefinite postpone-
ment.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

The Resolve was tabled, and assigned for Friday, March 26.

Resolve for laying the County taxes for the year 1915,

Which was tabled March 23 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro,

The Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed.

It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill An Act relating to the protection of game birds (House
Document No. 816),

Which was tabled March 23 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved to reconsider the vote by
which House Amendment "A" was adopted.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer called for a division, which was had, and the motion to reconsider was lost by a vote of 39 to 60.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS the Bill was then read the third time as amended.

On motion of Mr. WHEELER of Brunswick,

The House authorized the Clerk to make such changes in the body of the Bill as would make it correspond with House Amendment "A."

Bill An Act to define and make certain the authority of school boards over school grounds, property and buildings (Senate Document No. 365),

Which was tabled March 23 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. BRANN of Winthrop moved that the Bill have its third reading and pass to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland,

The Bill was tabled, and assigned for tomorrow.

Report of Committee on Judiciary on Bill An Act to regulate the practice of Osteopathy (Senate Document No. 131),

Which was tabled March 23 pending acceptance,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle moved to indefinitely postpone the Bill.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. WOODMAN of Auburn moved the previous question, which the House ordered.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Bill prevailed by a vote of 70 to 60.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Bourque	Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)
Allen	Bradbury	Bussey
Ames	Bragdon	Chamberlin
Averill	Brann	Corliss
Besse	Brown (Auburn)	Daigle

Descoteaux	Mansir	Ryder
Dilling	McCorrison	St. Clair (Calais)
Edwards	McNally	St. Clair (Rockland)
Evans	Millett	Small
Fay	Morrison	Smith
Fossett	Morse	Snow
Gerrish	Neilon	Thibodeau
Gilmour	Newell	Tobey
Goldthwait	Noyes	Towle
Gooding	O'Connell	Turner
Greaton	Perham	Varney
Greeley	Perkins	Wasgatt
Greenlaw	Peterson	Washburn
Hanson (Sanford)	Pierce (Farm'gton)	Welch
Hart	Plummer	Wescott
Holt (Gouldsboro)	Pollard	Wise
Lawrence	Ricker	Woodman—70
Libby	Russell (Alfred)	
Lord	Russell (Lewiston)	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Drummond	Lombard
Beal	Durgain	Maxwell
Benn	Dutton	McCurdy
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Ellis	McIntire
Blake (Oakland)	Erskine	McKinley
Bonney	Ford	Michaud
Brawn	Gallagher	Mitchell
Campbell	Gould	Mulligan
Carson	Grant	Mullin
Chadbourne	Greenleaf	Nicholas
Clement	Hanson (Saco)	Peabbles
Clifford	Haskell	Pierce (Houlton)
Cobb	Higgins	Ranney
Coffin	Hill	Roberts
Connellan	Hodgkins	Robinson
Connors	Jameson	Tabbutt
Currier	Lewis	Thombs
Danforth	Littlefield	Tuttle

Waterhouse	Wheeler	Wilson
Watts	Wilkins	Wyman—60

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Bernier	Haraden	Meader
Chaplin	Harper	Picher
Colcord	Hobbs	Sanborn
Davis	Holt (Skowhegan)	Tate
Douglass	Jordan	Trafton
Drapeau	Leader	Ward
Goodwin	McCarty	Webb—21

Bill An Act relating to classification and compensation of certain employees in State and County offices (Senate Document No. 153),

Which was tabled March 23 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The Bill was tabled, and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve appropriating money for the construction of one brick dormitory for inmates at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (Senate Document No. 362),

Which was tabled March 20 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The Resolve was tabled, and assigned for Friday, March 26.

Resolve for the construction of a power and central heating plant at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 678),

Which was tabled March 20 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The Resolve was tabled, and assigned for Friday, March 26.

Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland moved suspension of the rules and reconsideration of the vote by which

Bill "An Act to extend the powers of the Limerick Water and Electric Company" (Senate Document No. 311),

Was recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary.

The rules were suspended, and the vote reconsidered.

Mr. CONNELLAN offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption, and it was adopted.

The Speaker pro tem brought up the following Bills out of order on their passage to be enacted:

An Act to Provide for the Care and Treatment of Tubercular Persons,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The rules were suspended, and was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. PIERCE offered and moved the adoption of House Amendment "A," which was adopted.

On motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

An Act to Divide the Town of Bristol and to Incorporate the Town of South Bristol;

An Act to Incorporate the Mount Pleasant Cemetery Corporation;

An Act to Amend Sections One, Two, Three and Twenty of Chapter One Hundred Sixty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Regulation of Speed of Motor Vehicles;

An Act to Establish a State Reformatory for Women;

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

An Act Relating to the Payment of Legacies,

Which was tabled March 16 pending passage to be enacted, Was taken from the table.

On further motion of same gentleman was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

Same gentleman offered and moved the adoption of House Amendment "A," which was adopted.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Thursday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, March 25, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Browning of Littleton, N. C.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Report of Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of George T. Hinchliffe for services as Clerk, Stenographer and Typewriter of the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries,

Was referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Majority report of the Committee on Agriculture reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to provide that the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner shall be a veterinary surgeon."

(Signed) Messrs. Wilkins, Washburn, Blake, Hobbs, Peterson, Averill, McIntire.

Minority report of same Committee on same Bill reporting "ought to pass" (Senate Document No. 352).

(Signed) Messrs. Conant, Bartlett, Moulton.

In the Senate, the minority report, "ought to pass," was accepted March 17, and Bill read once; March 18, read a second time and passed to be engrossed. In House March 19, Bill was tabled by Mr. McINTIRE of Waterford pending acceptance of either report, and assigned for March 23, when majority report was accepted in non-concurrence. In the Senate March 24, voted to insist, and called for a Committee of Conference, the President appointing Messrs. MOULTON, CONANT and BARTLETT Senate members of the Committee.

In House March 25, on motion of Mr. McINTIRE of Waterford, voted to accede to request for conference, and Speaker appointed as House members of Committee Messrs. McINTIRE of Waterford, PERHAM of Woodstock and SMITH of Hampden.

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to correct certain clerical errors in, and to amend, Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to inland fisheries and game," reported the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 378).

Report of Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to authorize the construction of a weir in the tide waters of Cobscook River in the town of Lubec" (Senate Document No. 390);

Report of Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation, on Bill "An Act creating the Southern Maine Forest District, and providing for protection against fire therein," reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 391);

Report of Committee on Agriculture reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 156 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the packing, shipping and sale of apples" (Senate Document No. 399);

Report of Committee on Agriculture reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the licensing of dogs" (Senate Document No. 400);

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of E. W. Murphy, Secretary of the Joint Special Committee appointed by the 76th Legislature on Woman's Reformatory, State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls (Senate Document No. 402);

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of the State Historian (Senate Document No. 403);

Report of the Committee on Banks and Banking reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 80 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 15 of the Public Laws of 1905, allowing trust companies to become stockholders in Federal Reserve Banks" (Senate Document No. 404);

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Mutual Loan Society of Lewiston," reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 405);

Report of Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance, on Bill "An Act relating to taxation of insurance in companies not authorized to do business in Maine," reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 406);

Report of Committee on Military Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to enable the cities and towns of the State of Maine to appropriate money to aid in the erection of the Knox Memorial Building" (Senate Document No. 407);

Report of Committee on State Prison reporting same on Resolve in favor of the Maine State Prison for certain improvements and repairs (Senate Document No. 408);

Report of the Portland Delegation, on Bill "An Act to provide for the establishment of a board of recreation for the city

of Portland," reported the same in a new draft, under the same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 409);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bills read twice and accompanying Resolves read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Bill "An Act to provide for granting administration in certain cases without giving bond" (Senate Document No. 410);

Which was passed to be engrossed in the Senate March 24,

On motion of Mr. COLCORD of Portland,

Was read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report of the Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve declaratory of certain amendments of the Constitution of Maine (Senate Document No. 411);

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Harmony Water Company" (Senate Document No. 413);

Report of the same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Rockland, South Thomaston and St. George Railway" (Senate Document No. 415);

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 383 of the Public Laws of 1897, relative to the incorporation of the South Branch Improvement Company" (Senate Document No. 417);

Report of same Committee, on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 70 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Spencer Dam Company as amended by Chapter 195 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, and in addition thereto'" (Senate Document No. 418);

Report of Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds on Resolve for the improvement of the State Park on the Easterly side of State Street, reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 419);

Report of Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 130

of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to highways" (Senate Document No. 420);

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bills read twice and accompanying Resolve read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolve.

Report of Committee on Claims reporting same on Resolve in favor of the town of Pittsfield (House Document No. 699),

The report was accepted in the House March 13, and accepted in concurrence in the Senate March 23. In the House the Resolve was indefinitely postponed March 19. The Resolve came from the Senate read a second time and passed to be engrossed, March 24, in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, the House voted to insist on its action, and called for a conference. The Speaker appointed as House members of the Committee on Conference Messrs. PLUMMER of Lisbon, RICKER of Castine and BROWN of New Sharon.

Report of Committee on Revision of Statutes reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 69 of Revised Statutes, relating to compensation of guardians,"

Was accepted in concurrence, and accompanying Bill read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report of Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 61 of R. S. and amended by Chapter 166 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to marriage and registration of vital statistics."

Report of Committee on Military Affairs, on Resolve in favor of Knox Academy of Arts and Sciences and General Knox Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution of Thomaston, Maine, reporting that same be referred to the next Legislature.

Report of Committee on Taxation, on Bill "An Act establishing a uniform tax on intangible personal property," reporting that legislation thereon is inexpedient.

Report of the Committee on Insane Hospitals submitting

their final report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

An Act Relative to the Hours of Employment of Women and Minors,

Which was passed to be enacted March 23,

Returned from the Senate passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendments "A" and "B" in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. DESCOTEAUX of Biddeford,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be enacted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, was also reconsidered the vote by which it was passed to be engrossed.

On further motion of Mr. DESCOTEAUX,

The Bill was tabled pending adoption of Amendments in concurrence, and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve in favor of Edward S. Austin, Document Clerk, for preparing weekly printed index;

Resolve in favor of Ina E. Chadbourne;

Resolve in favor of Arthur C. Smith, Secretary of Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls;

Were reported to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. McINTIRE from the Committee on Agriculture, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 74 of the Public Laws of 1913," reported same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to amend Sections 2 and 8 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the extirpation of contagious diseases among cattle, horses, sheep and swine," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HIGGINS from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Gardner K. Heath for services in preparing a schedule of

all Acts and Resolves carrying an appropriation or expenditure of money.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Gardner K. Heath for services performed as assistant to Fortunat Belleau while he was acting clerk pro-tempore.

Mr. HOLT from same Committee, on Bill "An Act entitled 'An Act to create a State fund to be known as the State Contingency Fund,'" reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. GERRISH from Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on petition of Weston A. Toothaker and six others in favor of extending the time for fly fishing below the Little Falls on Cupsuptic Stream, reported Bill entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in a portion of Cupsuptic Stream, in Oxford County," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. WATERHOUSE from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act authorizing the Secretary of State to prepare and publish lists of corporations delinquent in payment of their franchise taxes."

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the County of Kennebec issuing bonds.

Mr. McCARTY from same Committee, on Bill "An Act amending the charter of the city of Lewiston and providing a board of police commissioners," reported same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Lewiston and to provide for a police commission," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. CONNELLAN from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 7 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relating to the Bar Harbor Municipal Court."

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 135 of the Private and Special Laws of 1875, entitled 'An Act to establish a municipal court

in the city of Auburn,' as amended by Chapter 186 of the Private and Special Laws of the same year, Chapter 51 of the Private and Special Laws of 1881, and Chapter 152 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891, Chapter 62 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, and Chapter 229 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903."

Mr. CONNERS from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to confer additional rights and powers upon the East Branch Improvement Company," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to judges of probate."

Mr. CONNELLAN from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 41 of the Laws of 1907, in relation to bail commissioners."

Mr. CONNERS from same Committee, on Bill "An Act amendatory of Sections 27 and 28 of Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs and telephones and other public utilities," reported same in a new draft, under title of "An Act amendatory of Section 27 of Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones and other public utilities," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee, on Bill "An Act in relation to certain rights and liabilities of husband and wife," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 24 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 10 of the Public Laws of 1909, in relation to reports of hearings in vacation in law or equity."

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on

Bill "An Act relating to procedure in Supreme Judicial and Superior Courts."

Mr. WATERHOUSE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 27 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the record of attachment of bulky personal property."

Mr. McCARTY from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Maine Indemnity Company," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to determine the approximate amount of money necessary to defray the expenses of the public service."

Mr. McCARTY from same Committee, on Bill "An Act additional to the charter of the city of Biddeford," reported same in a new draft, under title of "An Act additional to the charter of the city of Biddeford and in effect amendatory of the said charter," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. ST. CLAIR from the Committee on Military Affairs, on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 4, Section 72 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, relating to Firemen's Memorial Sunday," reported same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to amend Section 72 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, as amended by Chapter 160 of the Acts and Resolves of 1909, relating to Firemen's Memorial Sunday," and that it ought to pass.

Mr. COLCORD from the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Bill "An Act to provide for the ownership and maintenance of highway bridges by the State and the construction of such bridges by the State, Counties and Towns," reported same in a new draft, under title of "An Act to provide for State and County aid in the construction of highway bridges," and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills and Resolves ordered printed under joint rules.

Mr. GERRISH from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913 of the State of Maine, relative to the inland fish and game laws," reported that the same be placed on file, as the subject matter is covered in another Bill.

Mr. SANBORN from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act relative to interrogatories in civil actions."

Mr. WATERHOUSE from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 175 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to trustee process.

The reports were accepted, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. CONNELLAN from same Committee reported same on Amendment to the charter of the Portland Water District.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

Was recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary to correct report.

Mr. McCARTY from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to create a police commissioner and board of examiners for the city of Lewiston," reported "ought not to pass," same subject being covered by another Bill.

Mr. WATERHOUSE from same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve to prevent the Attorney General from appearing as counsel before the Legislative Committees.

Mr. SANBORN from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act conferring on married women the rights to enter into partnership relations with their husbands."

Mr. CONNELLAN from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 101 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relative to the Bangor Municipal Court."

Mr. FAY from the Committee on Taxation, on petition of H. D. Collins and 8 others in favor of the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

Mr. RUSSELL from the York County Delegation reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend that part of Section 51 of Chapter 70 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Maine, relating to the regular sessions of the Supreme Judicial Court held in and for the County of York."

The reports were accepted, and sent to the Senate.

Majority and minority reports of the Committee on Judiciary on Resolve in favor of Michael Burns, majority report reporting "ought not to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. Cole, Conners, Sanborn, Waterhouse and Campbell.

Minority report of the same Committee on same Resolve, reporting "ought to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. McCarty and Pierce.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,

The reports were tabled pending acceptance of either, and assigned for tomorrow.

Report of the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 47 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to liens on land," reporting that the Senate recede and concur with the House, the report being signed by Messrs. Campbell, Snow and Conners on the part of the House, and Messrs. Boynton, Cole and Durgin on the part of the Senate.

The report was accepted, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to authorize Mousam Water Company to increase its capital stock and to contract with the city of Biddeford for hydrant service" (House Document No. 902);

Bill "An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter 73 of the Revised Statutes, relating to notices upon petitions for sale of real estate" (House Document No. 903);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of bail commissioners" (House Document No. 904);

Bill "An Act relating to administering oaths required by law" (House Document No. 905);

Bill "An Act to confer jurisdiction in equity upon the probate courts" (House Document No. 907);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proofs of wills" (House Document No. 906);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 69 of the Revised Statutes, relating to petitions for adoption of children" (House Document No. 908);

Bill "An Act to provide for the binding of original papers filed in probate courts" (House Document No. 909);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to transcripts of examinations or testimony taken in the probate courts" (House Document No. 910);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 1 of the Public Laws of 1907, providing for notice to registers of probate of the names of corporate surety companies qualified to do business in the State" (House Document No. 911);

Bill "An Act to provide for the record in the registry of deeds of notices waiving testamentary provisions for husband or wife" (House Document No. 912);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 13 of Chapter 67 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the return of commissioners of partition appointed by probate courts" (House Document No. 897);

Were read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 51 of Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, relative to the employment of women and children" (House Document No. 898);

On motion of Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham,

Was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 39 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 26 of the Public Laws of 1913,

relating to the weekly payment of wages" (House Document No. 899);

Bill "An Act relative to the employment of minors" (House Document No. 913);

Bill "An Act to divide the town of Kennebunkport and incorporate the town of North Kennebunkport" (House Document No. 919);

Were read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to repeal Chapter 87 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relating to the taking of lobsters within three miles of the islands of Matinicus and Criehaven" (Senate Document No. 283);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 38, 39, 40, 42 and 44 of Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the protection of life in public buildings" (Senate Document No. 366);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 15 and 16 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the adoption of rules and regulations restricting fishing and hunting in cases of emergency" (Senate Document No. 374);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 51 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to non-resident hunting licenses" (Senate Document No. 382);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 16 of Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to primary elections" (Senate Document No. 387);

Bill "An Act establishing a close time on lobsters, in the towns of Cutler, Trescott and Lubec, in Washington County" (Senate Document No. 389);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 54 and 65 of Chapter 8 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 49 of the Public Laws of 1909, relative to the taxation of mortgages on real

estate in savings banks and trust and banking companies" (Senate Document No. 392);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in repairing the Middle Dam Carry Road in the town of Upton and the Plantation of Magalloway, and providing for the future maintenance thereof (Senate Document No. 393);

Resolve appropriating money to aid in the construction of the substructure of a highway bridge over the St. John River between the town of Madawaska, Maine, and the city of Edmundston, New Brunswick (Senate Document No. 394);

Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Clerk of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game" (Senate Document No. 395);

Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of certain public officers" (House Document No. 403);

Bill "An Act relative to the use of the cinematograph" (House Document No. 779);

Resolve to authorize John G. Fleming to bring suit at law or in equity against the State of Maine for a balance claimed to be due him on a highway contract (House Document No. 881);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Southwest Harbor Water District" (House Document No. 883);

Resolve providing for steel filing cases in the office of the State Treasurer (House Document No. 884);

Bill "An Act for the temporary licensing of automobiles and motor vehicles" (House Document No. 885);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time and Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act amending Chapter 147 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the abolishment of grade crossings of railroads" (House Document No. 886),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. BRANN of Winthrop,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to provide for the systematic maintenance of the principal thoroughfare in each municipality in the State" (House Document No. 887);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 114 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to arrests and disclosures on leaving the State" (House Document No. 888);

Resolve in favor of the State Highway Commission (House Document No. 889);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, and Resolve read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to provide for the disposition of contraband liquors" (House Document No. 890),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 54 of Chapter 125 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the appointment of cruelty agents" (House Document No. 891),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Bath Water District" (House Document No. 892),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 56 and 57 of Chapter 47 of the Revised Statutes, relating to rights of minority stockholders" (House Document No. 893) ;

Bill "An Act amendatory of and additional to Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, relating to annual examination of savings banks and trust companies and verification of savings deposits, as amended by Chapter 158 of the Public Laws of 1911" (House Document No. 894) ;

Bill "An Act to regulate the shipment of lobsters by shippers with an established place of business" (House Document No. 896) ;

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in Favor of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, for Expenses During the Years Nineteen Hundred Fifteen and Nineteen Hundred Sixteen, in Lieu of the Sum Provided by Chapter One Hundred Ninety-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was tabled pending final passage, and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve Increasing the Retirement Pay of Thomas Clark,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolve finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Completion of the Purchase of the Farm Acquired for the Purpose of Scientific Investigation in Agriculture in Aroostook County, also for the Erection of Buildings on Said Farm,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending final passage, and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve Appropriating Money for and Authorizing the Purchase of a History of Pemaquid,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolve finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Promote and Assist the Interests of Poultry Culture,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was tabled pending final passage, and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve Providing for the Purchase of a Certain Portrait of Major General Joshua L. Chamberlain, a Former Governor of This State;

Resolve Providing for the Retirement on Half Pay of Frederick Brown, a Former Employee of the State;

Resolve Providing for the Purchase of Certain Volumes of the Documentary History of Maine;

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolves finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

Ordered, That the Senate be requested to return to this House Senate Bill No. 310, "An Act relating to the Clark Power Company."

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

Was reconsidered the vote by which Senate Document No. 392 was this day read the third time and passed to be engrossed.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The Bill was tabled pending third reading, and tomorrow assigned.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,
Resolve in Favor of the Central Maine General Hospital,
Which was tabled March 24 pending final passage,
Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same
gentleman, was finally passed. It was then signed by the
Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland asked and obtained suspension of the rules to enable him to introduce an order out of order, and introduced the following:

Ordered, That the Engrossing Clerk be requested to return to this House Senate Bill No. 310.

The Order received a passage.

On motion of Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock,

Was reconsidered the vote accepting the report of the Committee on Judiciary on Resolve to prevent the Attorney General from appearing as counsel before the Legislative Committees.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PERHAM moved to substitute the Resolve for the report of the Committee, and asked for a division.

Mr. FOSSETT of Portland moved indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Mr. PERHAM called for the previous question, which the House ordered.

The question being on the motion of Mr. PERHAM to substitute the Resolve for the report of the Committee, a division showed 8 in favor of the motion, and an overwhelming number against the same, so that the Speaker announced it unnecessary to take the exact count.

Hence the motion to substitute the Resolve for the report of the Committee was lost.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The report of the Committee "ought not to pass," was accepted. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. DESCOTEAUX of Biddeford,

Was reconsidered the vote by which House Document No. 495, "An Act Relative to the Hours of Employment of Women and Minors,"

Was tabled and assigned for tomorrow.

On further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and, on still further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "B" was adopted in concurrence.

Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard offered House Amendment "C," moving its adoption.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered, and the motion to adopt House Amendment "C" failed by a vote of 132 to 5.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Brann	Fay	Lombard—5
Cobb	Littlefield	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Chamberlin	Gallagher
Allen	Clement	Gerrish
Ames	Clifford	Gilmour
Averill	Coffin	Gooding
Ballard	Colcord	Goodwin
Beal	Connors	Gould
Benn	Corliss	Grant
Bernier	Currier	Greaton
Besse	Daigle	Greeley
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Danforth	Greenlaw
Blake (Oakland)	Descoteaux	Greenleaf
Bonney	Dilling	Hanson (Saco)
Bourque	Douglass	Hanson (Sanford)
Bradbury	Drapeau	Haskell
Bragdon	Drummond	Higgins
Brawn	Durgain	Hill
Brown (Auburn)	Dutton	Hodgkins
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Edwards	Holt (Gouldsboro)
Campbell	Ellis	Holt (Skowhegan)
Carson	Evans	Jameson
Chadbourne	Ford	Lawrence
Chaplin	Fossett	Lewis

Libby	Perham	Thibodeau
Lord	Perkins	Thombs
Maxwell	Peterson	Tobey
McCarty	Picher	Towle
McCorrison	Pierce (Farm'gton)	Trafton
McCurdy	Pierce (Houlton)	Turner
McIntire	Plummer	Tuttle
McKinley	Pollard	Varney
McNally	Ranney	Ward
Michaud	Ricker	Wasgatt
Millett	Roberts	Washburn
Mitchell	Robinson	Waterhouse
Morrison	Russell (Alfred)	Watts
Morse	Ryder	Webb
Mulligan	St. Clair (Calais)	Welch
Mullin	St. Clair (Rockland)	Wescott
Neilon	Sanborn	Wheeler
Newell	Small	Wilkins
Nicholas	Smith	Wilson
Noyes	Snow	Wise
O'Connell	Tabbutt	Woodman
Peabbles	Tate	Wyman—132

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Bussey	Haraden	Leader
Connellan	Harper	Mansir
Davis	Hart	Meador
Erskine	Hobbs	Russell (L'w'n)—14
Goldthwait	Jordan	

Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard then offered House Amendment "D," moving its adoption.

The motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

On motion of Mr. DESCOTEAUX of Biddeford,

The Bill was then passed to be engrossed as amended. It was then sent to the Senate.

Reports of Committee on Judiciary on An Act relating to change in form of ballot,

Which was tabled March 23 pending acceptance of either,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved acceptance of Report "B,"
"ought not to pass."

Discussion ensued.

Mr. GALLAGHER of Bangor called for the yeas and nays.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland moved the previous question,
which the House ordered.

The question being on the motion to accept Report "B,"
"ought not to pass," the House ordered the yeas and nays, and
the motion to accept Report "B" prevailed by a vote of 71 to 67.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Averill	Goodwin	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Ballard	Greeley	Pierce (Houlton)
Bernier	Greenleaf	Pollard
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Haskell	Roberts
Bourque	Hill	Robinson
Brawn	Hodgkins	Small
Brown (Auburn)	Holt (Skowhegan)	Smith
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Jameson	Tabbutt
Chadbourne	Lewis	Tate
Clifford	Lord	Thibodeau
Colcord	Maxwell	Trafton
Connors	McCarty	Turner
Currier	McCorrison	Ward
Descoteaux	McCurdy	Wagatt
Douglass	McIntire	Watts
Drapeau	Michaud	Webb
Durgain	Millett	Welch
Edwards	Mulligan	Wheeler
Fossett	Mullin	Wilkins
Gallagher	Neilon	Wilson
Gerrish	Newell	Woodman
Gilmour	Noyes	Wyman—70
Goldthwait	Peabbles	
Gooding	Perkins	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Ames	Benn
Allen	Beal	Besse

Blake (Oakland)	Ford	Perham
Bonney	Gould	Peterson
Bradbury	Grant	Picher
Bragdon	Greaton	Plummer
Brann	Greenlaw	Ranney
Bussey	Hanson (Saco)	Ricker
Campbell	Hanson (Sanford)	Russell (Alfred)
Carson	Hart	Ryder
Chaplin	Higgins	St. Clair (Calais)
Chamberlin	Holt (Gouldsboro)	St. Clair (Rockland)
Clement	Lawrence	Sanborn
Cobb	Libby	Thombs
Coffin	Littlefield	Tobey
Corliss	Lombard	Towle
Daigle	McKinley	Tuttle
Danforth	McNally	Varney
Dilling	Mitchell	Washburn
Drummond	Morrison	Waterhouse
Dutton	Morse	Wise—67
Evans	Nicholas	
Fay	O'Connell	

Those who paired were: Messrs.

Haraden, yes; Ellis, no.

Davis, yes; Snow, no.

Russell (Lewiston), yes; Wescott, no.

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Connellan	Hobbs	Mansir
Erskine	Jordan	Meador—8
Harper	Leader	

Bill "An Act relating to illegal transportation of intoxicating liquors,"

Which was tabled March 23 pending acceptance of report of Committee,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

The Bill was tabled, and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill An Act relating to classification and compensation of

certain employees in State and County offices (Senate Document No. 153),

Which was tabled March 24 pending second reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. SANBORN then asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a Bill out of order, and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act to provide for clerk hire for county offices."

On motion of Mr. SANBORN,

The Bill was tabled for printing.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved to reconsider the vote by which the House accepted Report "B," "ought not to pass," on Bill An Act relating to change in form of ballot.

The motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

Bill An Act to define and make certain the authority of school boards over school grounds, property and buildings (Senate Document No. 365),

Which was tabled March 24 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill An Act to amend Sections 17 and 20 of Chapter 41 of Revised Statutes of 1903 as amended, relating to the measurement of lobsters (House Document No. 895),

Which was tabled March 24 pending adoption of House Amendment "A,"

Came up by assignment.

Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. LEWIS of North Haven called for a division, which was had, and House Amendment "A" was adopted by a vote of 87 to 12.

Mr. LEWIS then moved indefinite postponement of the Bill, and called for the yeas and nays.

Discussion ensued.

The question being on the motion of Mr. LEWIS to indefinitely postpone the Bill, the House ordered the yeas and nays, and the motion was lost by a vote of 32 to 83.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Allen	Ford	St. Clair (Rockland)
Bernier	Fossett	Snow
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Gilmour	Tabbutt
Bonney	Greenleaf	Tate
Bourque	Lewis	Thibodeau
Bussey	Maxwell	Wasgatt
Clifford	McCorrison	Washburn
Currier	Millett	Watts
Daigle	Morse	Webb
Douglass	Peabbles	Wescott—32
Evans	Ricker	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Colcord	Hanson (Saco)
Averill	Conners	Hanson (Sanford)
Ballard	Danforth	Haskell
Beal	Descoteaux	Higgins
Benn	Drapeau	Holt (Gouldsboro)
Besse	Drummond	Holt (Skowhegan)
Blake (Oakland)	Durgain	Jameson
Bradbury	Edwards	Littlefield
Brann	Fay	Lombard
Brawn	Gallagher	Lord
Brown (Auburn)	Gerrish	McCurdy
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Goldthwait	McIntire
Campbell	Gooding	McKinley
Chaplin	Goodwin	Michaud
Chamberlin	Grant	Morrison
Clement	Greaton	Mulligan
Cobb	Greeley	Neilon
Coffin	Greenlaw	Newell

Nicholas	Ranney	Turner
Noyes	Roberts	Tuttle
O'Connell	Russell (Alfred)	Varney
Perham	St. Clair (Calais)	Ward
Perkins	Sanborn	Waterhouse
Peterson	Small	Welch
Pierce (Farm'gton)	Smith	Wilson
Pierce (Houlton)	Thombs	Wise
Plummer	Tobey	Wyman—83
Pollard	Trafton	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Ames	Haraden	McNally
Bragdon	Harper	Meader
Carson	Hart	Mitchell
Chadbourne	Hill	Mullin
Connellan	Hobbs	Picher
Corliss	Hodgkins	Robinson
Davis	Jordan	Russell (Lewiston)
Dilling	Lawrence	Ryder
Dutton	Leader	Towle
Ellis	Libby	Wheeler
Erskine	Mansir	Wilkins
Gould	McCarty	Woodman—36

On motion of Mr. GOLDTHWAIT of Biddeford,

The Bill then took its third reading and was passed to be engrossed as amended. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Friday.

C. C. HARVEY,

Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, March 26, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Hope of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Ordered, The House concurring, that a Joint Convention of both Houses be held in the House of Representatives this afternoon at two o'clock for the purpose of listening to an address by the Honorable Benjamin F. Cleaves, Chairman of the Utilities Commission of Maine, on the subject of the reorganization of the Boston and Maine Railroad System, a Bill for which reorganization is now pending before the Legislature.

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

This Order was received out of order.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce an Order out of order, and introduced the following:

Ordered, That the Engrossing Clerk be requested to return to this House Appropriation Bill for expenditures for government for year 1915.

The Order received a passage.

Mr. HIGGINS then offered House Amendment "A" to the Bill, moving its adoption, and it was so adopted.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Charles R. Kingsbury for services as Clerk, Messenger and Stenographer to the Committee on Interior Waters;

Resolve in favor of C. R. Tupper for services in formulating Bills for Committee on Salaries and Fees;

Resolve in favor of the Commissioner of Pharmacy;

Resolve in favor of Brooks Newbert for services as Clerk, Stenographer and Messenger to the Committee on Taxation;

Resolve in favor of Charles R. Kingsbury for services as Clerk, Messenger and Stenographer to the Committee on Indian Affairs;

Resolve in favor of Louis Garcelon for services rendered as Clerk of the Committee on School for Feeble Minded;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Report of Committee on Education reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 198 of the Public Laws of 1909, as amended by Chapter 192 of the Public Laws of 1911 and as further amended by Chapter 182 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the amount of the school equalization fund" (Senate Document No. 326),

Came from the Senate passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

The report of Committee was accepted in concurrence, and Bill read twice. On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Agriculture reporting same on Bill "An Act to promote the industry of horse breeding in Maine and provide for the registration of stallions" (Senate Document No. 340).

This Bill was indefinitely postponed in the House March 24.

It came back from the Senate, that body insisting on its action by which it was passed to be engrossed March 17, and calling for a conference, with Messrs. WALKER, MOULTON and CONANT named as members of the Committee of Conference on the part of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, the House acceded to the request for a conference, and the Speaker named the following as House members of the Committee on Conference: Messrs. PLUMMER of Lisbon, POLLARD of Solon and PETERSON of New Sweden.

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Oquossoc Light and Power Company," reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 364).

The report was accepted in concurrence, and accompanying Bill read twice.

On motion of Mr. WILKINS of Jay, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence. On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland, Senate Amendment "B" was adopted in concurrence, the Bill having been passed to be engrossed in the Senate as amended by Senate Amendments "A" and "B."

Tomorrow was assigned for third reading of Bill.

Majority report of Committee on Insane Hospitals reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for Nurses' Home (Senate Document No. 370),

(Signed) Messrs. Fulton, Cole, Grant, Libby, Perkins, Harper.

Minority report of same Committee, on same Bill, reporting "ought not to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. Garcelon, Durgain, Plummer, Wasgatt.

In the House March 24 the Minority report was accepted in non-concurrence. In the Senate March 25 that body insisted on its acceptance of the Majority report as so accepted March 16, and calling for a conference, with Messrs. COLE, SWIFT and AMES named as the Senate members of the Committee on Conference.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, the House acceded to the request for a conference, and the Speaker appointed Messrs. PIERCE of Houlton, WASGATT of Deer Isle and EDWARDS of Bethel House members of the Committee on Conference.

Report of Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from steam boilers or steam machinery operated by incompetent persons in cities of over 35,000 inhabitants" (Senate Document No. 412),

Came from the Senate with Bill passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A."

The report of Committee was accepted in concurrence, and Bill read twice. On motion of Mr. LIBBY of Merrill, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 18 of the Revised Statutes, relating to State Board of Health" (Senate Document No. 416).

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to consolidate and revise the laws relating to State Printing" (Senate Document No. 421).

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bills read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report of Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting same on Bill "An Act authorizing the towns of Mexico and Rumford in the County of Oxford to purchase the toll bridge between said towns, erected and owned by the Mexico Bridge Company" (House Document No. 601, and Senate Document No. 428).

The report of the Committee was accepted in the House March 9, and in the Senate March 16, in concurrence.

The Bill was passed to be engrossed in the House March 13, and sent to the Senate. In Senate March 25 Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. GOODWIN of Mexico,

Was reconsidered vote by which Bill was passed to be engrossed, and, on further motions of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and Bill passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 47 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the use of motor boats in hunting sea birds, duck or water fowl" (House Document No. 640),

Came from the Senate indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. GERRISH of Greenville, the House insisted on its previous action, and called for a conference. The House acceded to the request for a conference, and the Speaker appointed Messrs. GERRISH of Greenville, WHEELER of Brunswick and WYMAN of Kingfield as House members of the Committee of Conference.

Report of same Committee, on Resolve to provide for screening the outlet to Schoodic Lake, reporting same in a new draft, under title of Resolve to provide for screening the outlet of Schoodic Lake, in Piscataquis County, and that it ought to pass (House Document No. 821).

This Bill was passed to be engrossed in the House March 23. In the Senate March 25 it was indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. RYDER of Greenville,

The House receded, and concurred with the Senate in indefinite postponement of the Bill.

Report of Committee on Interior Waters, on Extract from Report of the Joint Standing Committee on Governor's Message, reporting that same be placed on file.

Report of same Committee reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine Water Company to take water from Sabbath Day Pond."

Report of Committee on Judiciary reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 61 of Revised Statutes, relating to marriage and registration of vital statistics."

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 5 of the Revised Statutes, relating to registration of voters."

Report of Penobscot Delegation reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 191 of the Private Laws of 1913, authorizing the County of Penobscot to borrow money for the purposes specified in said Act."

Report of Committee on Taxation, on Petition of the Maine Central Railroad Company for reduction of taxes, reporting that petitioners have leave to withdraw.

Final Report of Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game submitting their report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on Interior Waters submitting their report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on Indian Affairs submitting their report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on Taxation submitting their report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on School for Feeble Minded submitting their report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on Legal Affairs submitting their report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Majority report of the Portland Delegation, reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 84 of the Private and Special Laws of the year 1875 entitled 'An Act relating to the schools in the city of Portland.'"

(Signed) Messrs. Flaherty, Roberts, Haskell, Greenleaf.

Minority report of the same Delegation, on same Bill, reporting "ought to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. Murphy, Colcord.

Came from the Senate with the Majority report, "ought not to pass," accepted.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,
The Majority report was accepted in concurrence.

An Act to Establish the Offices of Superintendent and Matron of the Portland City Home, and to Determine the Tenure of Office of Same.

This Bill was in the House passed to be enacted March 23. In the Senate March 24 it was indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence. On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland, the House voted to insist and called for a conference. The Speaker appointed Messrs. ROBERTS, FOSSETT and GREENLEAF of Portland, House members of Committee on Conference.

Resolve in favor of the Clerk, Stenographer and Messenger of Legal Affairs Committee,

Was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. SANBORN from the Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act to enlarge the duties of medical examiners," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. WATERHOUSE from same Committee reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend An Act entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Madison Water District.'"

Mr. McCARTY from the Committee on Revision of the Statutes, on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 42 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the appointment of guardians by consent," reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and accompanying Bills ordered printed under the joint rules.

Report "A" of the Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Grindstone Boom Company," reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

(Signed) Messrs. McCarty, Waterhouse, Campbell, Connellan and Sanborn.

Report "B" of the same Committee on same Bill reporting "ought not to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. Cole, Durgin, Conners, Pierce and Butler.
Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls moved to accept Report "A," "ought to pass."

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The reports were tabled pending acceptance of Report "A," and also for printing of Bill, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Report of the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing action of the two Branches of the Legislature on Resolve relating to the distribution of the proceeds of the issue of bonds for State highways, reporting that the Senate recede and concur with the House.

(Signed)

Members of the House:

Messrs. Perham, Pierce and Wescott.

Members of the Senate:

Messrs. Murphy, Conant and Walker.

The report was accepted, and sent to the Senate.

Report of the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing action of the two Branches of the Legislature on Resolve in favor of physician at the Maine State Prison, reporting that the Senate concur with the House on the passage of the Resolve to be engrossed.

(Signed)

Members of the House:

Messrs. Fossett, Millett and Drummond.

Members of the Senate:

Messrs. Boynton, Chatto and Fulton.

The report was accepted, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. CAMPBELL from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act for the better conservation and protection of the public water supply for domestic use and fire protection."

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act to provide for the inspection of all public or

private hospitals, reformatory homes, houses of detention, convents, asylums, sectarian seminaries, schools or institutions, by the commissioners of the county in which such institutions are situated, by the grand jury thereof, or by any person or persons appointed by a judge of a court of record, upon petition signed by twenty persons of said county."

Same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve to amend Article 22 of the Constitution, relating to limitations of municipal indebtedness, reported that the same "ought not to pass," same subject covered by another Bill.

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Mr. HANSON from Committee on Legal Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Mattamiscotis Dam and Improvement Company."

Mr. PERKINS from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to define, regulate and control the business of the making of loans or advancements of money in sums of \$300 or less in amount, and to regulate the assignment of wages when given as security for any such loan or advancement, reported legislation inexpedient.

Same gentleman from same Committee, on petitions in favor of "An Act to incorporate the Northport Village Corporation," reported that same be placed on file.

Same gentleman from same Committee, on petitions in favor of "An Act to procure State registration for nurses," reported that same be placed on file.

The reports were accepted, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to authorize the Norway and Paris Street Railway to purchase or lease the property and franchises of the Mechanic Falls Electric Light Company" (House Document No. 922);

Resolve in favor of Fred R. Smith of Pittsfield (House Document No. 923) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 13 and 14 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to road commissioners" (House Document No. 924) ;

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Great Brook and in Dixon Brook, in York County" (House Document No. 926) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 29 of Chapter 93 of the Revised Statutes, relating to mechanics' liens on buildings" (House Document No. 927) ;

Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine Water Company to take water from certain lakes in Washington County" (House Document No. 928) ;

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Eden to own, maintain and operate an electric lighting plant" (House Document No. 929) ;

The foregoing Bills were read twice and foregoing Resolve read once, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolve.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 13 of Chapter 67 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the return of commissioners of partition appointed by probate courts" (House Document No. 897) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 39 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 26 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the weekly payment of wages" (House Document No. 899) ;

Bill "An Act to authorize the Mousam Water Company to increase its capital stock and to contract with the city of Biddeford for hydrant service" (New Draft) (House Document No. 902) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 73 of the Re-

vised Statutes, relating to notices upon petitions for sale of real estate" (House Document No. 903) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of bail commissioners" (House Document No. 904) ;

Bill "An Act relating to administering oaths required by law" (House Document No. 905) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proofs of wills" (House Document No. 906) ;

Bill "An Act to confer jurisdiction in equity upon the probate courts" (House Document No. 907) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 69 of the Revised Statutes, relating to petitions for adoption of children" (House Document No. 908) ;

Bill "An Act to provide for the binding of original papers filed in probate courts" (House Document No. 909) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to transcripts of examinations or testimony taken in the probate courts" (House Document No. 910) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 1 of the Public Laws of 1907 providing for notice to registers of probate of the names of corporate surety companies qualified to do business in the State" (House Document No. 911) ;

Bill "An Act to provide for the record in the registry of deeds of notices waiving testamentary provisions for husband or wife" (House Document No. 912) ;

Bill "An Act relative to the employment of minors" (House Document No. 913) ;

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to divide the town of Kennebunkport and in-

corporate the town of North Kennebunkport" (House Document No. 919),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. ROBERTS of Portland moved that the Bill be tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30, but the motion was lost on a viva voce vote. The Bill was then read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 21 of Chapter 69 Revised Statutes, relating to compensation of guardians,"

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to correct certain clerical errors in, and to amend, Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to inland fisheries and game" (Senate Document No. 378),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. GERRISH of Greenville offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption, and it was adopted.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A," and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to authorize the construction of a weir in the tide waters of the Cobscook River in the town of Lubec" (Senate Document No. 390);

Bill "An Act creating the Southern Maine Forest District, and providing for protection against fires therein" (Senate Document No. 391);

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 156 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the marking of barrels and boxes to be used in shipping apples" (Senate Document No. 399);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the licensing of dogs" (Senate Document No. 400),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. BRANN of Winthrop,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve in favor of E. W. Murphy, Secretary of the Joint Special Committee appointed by the 76th Legislature on Women's Reformatory, State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, for certain Committee expenses (Senate Document No. 402);

Resolve authorizing the State Historian to publish historical matter in relation to the State of Maine (Senate Document No. 403);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 80 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 15 of the Public Laws of 1905, allowing trust companies to become stockholders in Federal Reserve Banks" (Senate Document No. 401);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Mutual Loan Society of Lewiston" (Senate Document No. 405),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 131 of the Public Laws of 1911, as amended by Chapter 114 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to taxing of insurance in companies not authorized to do business in Maine" (Senate Document No. 406);

Bill "An Act to enable the cities and towns of the State of

Maine to appropriate money to aid in the erection of the Knox Memorial Building" (Senate Document No. 407);

Resolve in favor of the Maine State Prison for certain improvements and repairs (Senate Document No. 408);

Bill "An Act to provide for the establishment of a board of recreation for the city of Portland" (Senate Document No. 409);

Bill "An Act to provide for granting administration in certain cases without giving bond" (Senate Document No. 410);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Harmony Water District" (Senate Document No. 413);

Resolve declaratory of certain amendments of the Constitution of Maine (Senate Document No. 411);

Bill "An Act to extend the charter of the Rockland, South Thomaston and St. George Railway" (Senate Document No. 415);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 383 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897, relating to the tolls to be charged by the South Branch Improvement Company" (Senate Document No. 417);

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 3 and 4 of Chapter 70 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Spencer Dam Company,' as amended by Chapter 195 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, and also to amend said Chapter 70 by adding thereto Sections 5, 6 and 7" (Senate Document No. 418);

Resolve appropriating money for the improvement of the State Park on the easterly side of State Street (Senate Document No. 419);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to State and State aid highways" (Senate Document No. 420);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time,

Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Incorporate the Northport Village Corporation;

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relative to Ice Fishing in Whetstone Pond, in Piscataquis County;

An Act to Regulate Anchorage in the Waters of Moosehead Lake Bordering on Kineo;

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Sixty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Entitled, "An Act to Protect Cod and Other Ground Fish in Waters off the Coast of Lincoln and Sagadahoc Counties;"

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred Forty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Three, Entitled "An Act to Supply the Town of Lisbon with Pure Water,"

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was indefinitely postponed. It was then sent to the Senate.

An Act Additional to Chapter Forty-one of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Destruction of Fish in Tidal Waters by Means of Dynamite or Poisonous or Stupefying Substances.

An Act to Amend Chapter Three Hundred and Fifty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Eighty-three, Relating to the Construction of a Bridge over Tide Waters between Orr's Island and Bailey's Island.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen,

Relating to Fishing in Kingsbury Pond, in Somerset and Piscataquis Counties, and in the Bennett Ponds, in Guilford, in Piscataquis County.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Barker Pond, in Cornville, in Somerset County.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Fishing in the Tributaries to Ship Pond Stream, in Piscataquis County.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Ice Fishing in Pleasant Pond, Mud Pond, Horseshoe Pond and Oxbow Pond, Situated in the Counties of Kennebec and Sagadahoc.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in the Kennebec River, in Somerset County.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan,

Was tabled pending passage to be enacted, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Berry Pond and Its Tributaries, in the Towns of Winthrop and Wayne in the County of Kennebec.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Sand Pond, in Denmark, in the County of Oxford.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Fishing in Violette Brook in Van Buren, in the County of Aroostook, above Hammond's Mill.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. MICHAUD of Van Buren,

Was tabled pending enactment, and assigned for tomorrow.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Davis Stream and Monson Pond Stream, in the County of Piscataquis.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-nine of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Protection of Beaver.

An Act to Abolish the Office of Town Agent, by Amending Section Fourteen of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section Two of Chapter Two Hundred Thirteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Jackson Pond, in the Town of Concord, in the County of Somerset.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Androscoggin Valley Railroad Company.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Ocean and Northern Railroad Company.

Resolve Reimbursing Benjamin M. Jenness for Money Expended for the Burial Expenses of Certain Honorably Discharged Soldiers of the Civil War.

Resolve in Favor of the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner, for the Control of Contagious Diseases among Domestic Animals.

Resolve in Favor of the Webber Hospital Association for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Good Samaritan Home Association for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Children's Protective Society of Maine for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Mission for the Deaf for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the York Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Hospital of the Young Men's Christian Association of Greenville Junction for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Daughters of Wisdom for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Bar Harbor Medical and Surgical Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Eastern Maine General Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Temporary Home for Women and Children for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Children's Heart Work Society of Maine for Maintenance and the Carrying Out of Its Work.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Home for Friendless Boys for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Waldo County General Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Children's Home Society for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Women's Christian Temperance Union Temporary Home for Children for Maintenance.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted and Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in Favor of the Old Town Hospital for Maintenance.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. LIBBY of Merrill,

Was tabled pending final passage, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Resolve in Favor of the Girls' Orphanage of Lewiston for Maintenance.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Road Leading from Shin Pond to Mattagamom Post Office, in Penobscot County.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Highway over Marsh Hill in the Town of Stockton Springs, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Highway over Hardscrabble Hill in the Town of Orland, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve in Favor of the Children's Aid Society of Maine for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Healy Asylum for Maintenance, and also for a Heating Plant and the Repair of Buildings.

Resolve in Favor of the Town of Castine for the Reimbursement of Money Spent in Excess of a State Road Appropriation.

Resolve in Favor of Mrs. Blanche M. Reynolds, Edward J. McWiggin, Thomas Hawkins and William H. Hawkins.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Orneville for Expenses Incurred in the Commitment of an Insane State Pauper.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Rebuilding a Bridge between the Town of Southport and the Town of Boothbay Harbor.

Resolve Authorizing the State Treasurer and the State Auditor to Adjust Certain Accounts in the State Treasurer's Office.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolves finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Incorporate the North Bridgton Village Corporation.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter One Hundred Thirty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-nine, Entitled, "An Act Creating the Dixfield Village Corporation."

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Three Hundred Sixty-three of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Fifty, Entitled, "An Act to Incorporate the City of Belfast," as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Seventy-two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine.

An Act to Protect Agricultural and Horticultural Societies Against Fraud.

An Act Relating to the Appointment of Non-resident Guardians.

An Act to Amend Section Seven of Chapter Fifteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Amended by Chapter Thirty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, as Further Amended by Chapter Eighty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Removal of Moth Pests within the Limits of the Highway.

An Act Regulating the Taking of Clams in the Town of Lamoine.

An Act to Incorporate the Madawaska Electrical Power Company.

An Act to Repeal Chapter Two Hundred and Fifteen of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Eighty-seven, Entitled "An Act to Grant Special Powers to School District Number Three, in the Town of Springfield," and Further, to Amend Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred One, Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Trustees of Springfield Normal School."

An Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter Two Hundred and Eleven of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-five, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and One, of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Salaries of the Judge and Recorder of the Bangor Municipal Court.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. MAXWELL, of Boothbay Harbor asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a Bill out of order and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act fixing the pay of the night watchmen of public buildings."

On motion of Mr. MAXWELL, the rules were suspended and the Bill took two readings.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER,

The Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for tomorrow.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a Resolve out of order, and introduced the following:

Resolve in favor of Pitt E. Averill, Representative from Prentiss, granting leave of absence with full pay.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,
The Resolve was tabled, and assigned for tomorrow.

Mr. SANBORN of South Portland asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a Bill out of order, and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Cumberland Guaranty Company."

Mr. SANBORN moved that the Bill take its three readings without reference to a Committee, under suspension of rules, and then lie on the table for printing.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved indefinite postponement of the Bill.

A viva voce vote leaving the matter in doubt, a division of the House was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Bill prevailed by a vote of 78 to 19.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland moved suspension of the rules and the consideration of the report of the Committee on

Bill "An Act to provide for the destruction of dog fish and other members of the shark species in the waters of Maine" (House Document No. 198).

The rules were accordingly suspended, and the report was taken under consideration.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF, the report of the Committee, "ought to pass," was accepted, and, on further motion of Mr. GREENLEAF, under suspension of the rules, the Bill took two readings.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, the Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro asked and obtained unanimous consent for the presentation of an Order out of order, and presented the following:

Ordered, That the Secretary of State be ordered to furnish sufficient covers for the filing of members' documents.

The Order was read and passed.

Bill "An Act relating to the Clark Power Company" (Senate Document No. 310),

Which had been passed to be engrossed in both branches of the Legislature, and which was yesterday ordered returned to the House from the office of the Engrossing Clerk,

Was placed before the House by the Speaker under suspension of rules.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland moved reconsideration of the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

The Bill was tabled pending reconsideration of the vote by which it was passed to be engrossed, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Mr. ROBERTS of Portland asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce an Order out of order, and introduced the following:

Ordered, That Representative Howard H. Jordan of Baileyville, on account of illness, be excused from further attendance at this session, and that his pay and mileage be made up to the end of the session.

The Order was read and passed.

Mr. SMALL of Mount Desert moved suspension of the rules to enable him to introduce a Resolve out of order, introducing the following:

Resolve in aid of repairing the Toll Bridge between the town of Trenton and the Island of Mount Desert.

By a viva voce vote the House refused to receive the Resolve.

Mr. CONNERS of Bangor asked and obtained suspension of rules to enable him to introduce out of order Report of the Judiciary Committee on Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 71 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891, incorporating the city of Old Town."

The report, which reported the Bill in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass, was accepted, and the Bill ordered printed under joint rules.

An Act to Fix the Salaries of the Agents of the Tribes of the Passamaquoddy and Penobscot Indians,

Which was tabled March 23 pending passage to be enacted, Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The Bill was tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Resolve in favor of Mary J. D. Arkett,
Which was tabled March 24 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
The Resolve was read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Ordered, The House concurring, that there be printed 200 copies of House Bill No. 495, as amended by Senate Amendments "A" and "B."

This Order came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to provide for publicity respecting the membership of mercantile partnerships, and for identification of individual merchants in certain cases" (House Document No. 849),

Which was tabled March 24 pending passage to be engrossed,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The Bill was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to create a State Racing Commission" (House Document No. 864),

Which was tabled March 24 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. COLCORD of Portland moved that the Bill be read the third time and passed to be engrossed.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved indefinite postponement of the Bill.

Mr. GREELEY of Portland moved that the Bill lie on the table pending third reading, and be assigned for Tuesday, March 30, but subsequently withdrew his motion.

The question being on the motion to indefinitely postpone the Bill, the motion to indefinitely postpone prevailed on a viva voce vote.

Bill "An Act to create a Commission to act in conjunction with State Armory Commission" (House Document No. 866),

Which was tabled March 24 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill took its third reading, and was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section One of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, relative to banks and banking" (House Document No. 867),

Which was tabled March 24 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill took its third reading, and was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 40 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the closed season on fur-bearing animals" (Senate Document No. 377),

Which was tabled March 24 pending acceptance of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence,

Came up by assignment.

The Bill was read twice, and, on motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act relative to compensation to employees for personal injuries received in the course of employment and to the prevention of such injuries" (Senate Document No. 388),

Which was tabled March 24 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. PERKINS of Augusta offered House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham called for the previous question, which the House ordered, and House Amendment "A" failed of adoption on a viva voce vote.

Mr. CHAPLIN of South Portland offered House Amend-

ment "B," moving its adoption, but the motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill took its third reading and was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to scaling round timber and marking the contents on same" (House Document No. 837),

Which was tabled March 24 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. DUTTON of Bingham,

The Bill took its third reading and was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to provide aid for mothers with dependent children" (Senate Document No. 346),

Which was tabled March 23 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved indefinite postponement of the Bill.

Discussion ensued.

The question being on the indefinite postponement of the Bill, Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln asked for a division, which was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Bill prevailed by a motion of 84 to 26.

Bill "An Act to fix the salaries of certain public officers" (House Document No. 403),

Was presented by the Speaker out of order, by the consent of the House.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

On motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and, on still further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

Bill "An Act relative to the taxation of mortgages on real estate in savings banks and trust and banking companies" (Senate Document No. 392),

Which was tabled March 25 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill was tabled.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The House voted to take a recess till 2.00 o'clock P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

Bill "An Act to extend the powers of the Limerick Water and Electric Company" (Senate Document No. 311),

Was presented to the House out of order, by the Speaker, with the consent of the House.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was recommit-
ted to the Committee on Judiciary.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The Committee's report on the Bill was accepted.

Mr. PIERCE offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption, and it was adopted.

On motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the adop-
tion of House Amendment "A."

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read twice.

On further motion of same gentleman, House Amendment "A" was adopted, and, on still further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

At this point the Senate came in and a Joint Convention was formed for the purpose of listening to an address by Honorable Benjamin F. Cleaves, Chairman of the Maine Public Utilities Commission, on the pending Bill for the reorganization of the Boston and Maine Railroad System.

(For record of proceedings of Joint Convention, see Senate Journal.)

The purpose for which the Joint Convention was formed

having been accomplished, the Senate retired, and the House resumed its sitting.

Bill "An Act to complete the records in the registry of deeds in Androscoggin County" (Senate Document No. 401),
Which was tabled March 24 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.
On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
The Bill was indefinitely postponed.

Resolve in favor of improving the roads through the property of the School for Feeble Minded in the towns of Pownal, North Yarmouth, Gray and New Gloucester (House Document No. 679),

Which was tabled March 24 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. BLAKE of New Gloucester offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption, and it was adopted.

On motion of same gentleman, the Resolve took its second reading and was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve providing for permanent outside service extension to present and proposed new buildings at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 675),

Which was tabled March 24 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Consideration of this Resolve was postponed for a time till the other two Resolves on the calendar and this day assigned, relating to the Maine School for Feeble Minded, should be considered.

Mr. PLUMMER withdrew his motion for indefinite postponement.

Resolve for the construction, equipment, service connections and furnishings of one brick building for a central kitchen and

bakery at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (Senate Document No. 335),

Which was tabled March 24 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved that the Resolve take its second reading and pass to be engrossed, in concurrence.

Discussion ensued.

The Resolve was then read the second time and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Resolve appropriating money for the construction of one brick dormitory for inmates at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (Senate Document No. 362),

Which was tabled March 24 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The Resolve was indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

Resolve for the construction of a power and central heating plant at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (House Document No. 678),

Which was tabled March 24 pending second reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The Resolve was indefinitely postponed.

The House then reverted to its consideration of House Document No. 675.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
This Resolve was indefinitely postponed.

An Act to Authorize the Maine Central Railroad Company to Retire a Portion of its Common Stock, and to Issue Bonds, Notes or Preferred Stock in Place Thereof,

Which was tabled March 23 pending passage to be enacted,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock,

The Bill was passed to be enacted. It was then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of the Maine State Library (House Document No. 851),

Which was tabled March 24 pending second reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve took its second reading and was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to provide for the destruction of dog fish and other members of the shark species" (House Document No. 841),

Which was tabled March 24 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed.

Bill "An Act to Repeal Section 51 of Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, relative to the employment of women and children" (House Document No. 898),

Which was tabled March 25 pending second reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senate Document No. 392,

Which was this day retabled, the pending action being the third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill was again tabled, this time being assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Bill An Act relating to the illegal transportation of intoxicating liquors,

Which was tabled March 25 pending acceptance of report of Committee,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved that the Bill be tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

The motion failed on a viva voce vote.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland moved acceptance of report

of Committee, "ought not to pass," and the report was accepted.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Promote and Assist the Interests of Poultry Culture,

Which was tabled March 25 pending final passage,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Discussion ensued.

The motion to indefinitely postpone was lost on a viva voce vote.

On motion of Mr. COFFIN of Freeport,

The Resolve was finally passed. It was then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Completion of the Purchase of the Farm Acquired for the Purpose of Scientific Investigation in Agriculture in Aroostook County, also for the Erection of Buildings on Said Farm,

Which was tabled March 25 pending final passage,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Discussion ensued.

On motion of Mr. SNOW of Mars Hill,

The Resolve was finally passed. It was then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of State Board of Charities and Corrections,

Which was tabled March 25 pending final passage,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,

Reports "A" and "B" of Committee on Judiciary on Act relating to charter of city of Bangor (House Document No. 920),

Which were tabled March 24 pending acceptance of either,
Were taken from the table.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Majority report was accepted.

On still further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read twice under suspension of rules, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Bill An Act to provide for semi-monthly payments on account in State contracts,
Which was tabled March 19 pending first reading,
Was taken from the table.

Mr. PERKINS of Augusta moved that the rules be suspended and the Bill given two readings, and the two readings were accordingly given.

Mr. PERKINS offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption, and it was adopted.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. BRANN of Winthrop,
Bill "An Act amending Chapter 147 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the abolishment of grade crossings of railroads" (House Document No. 886),

Which was tabled March 25 pending third reading,
Was taken from the table.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,
Bill "An Act to provide for the disposition of contraband liquors" (House Document No. 890),

Which was tabled March 25 pending third reading,
Was taken from the table.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was again tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Bath Water District" (House Document No. 892),

Which was tabled March 25 pending third reading,

Was taken from the table.

Same gentleman offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption.

Discussion ensued.

The motion to adopt House Amendment "A" prevailed.

On motion of Mr. CORLISS of Bath,

Was reconsidered the vote by which House Amendment "A" was adopted.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon again moved the adoption of House Amendment "A."

On a viva voce vote the motion was declared carried, but the vote was doubted.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill was tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30, the pending question being the adoption of House Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the third reading of the Bill relating to the charter of the city of Bangor was assigned for tomorrow, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the third reading of the Bill was assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Maintenance of the Bureau of Horticulture,

Which was tabled March 23 pending final passage,

Was taken from the table.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was finally passed. It was then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Ordered, That all Acts and Resolves tabled and unassigned be taken from the table Tuesday next, March 30,

On motion of same gentleman,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Saturday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
SATURDAY, March 27, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Boothby of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Ordered, The House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, it be to meet Tuesday, March 30, at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

This Order was received out of order.

On motion of Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham,

Ordered, The Senate concurring, that the Superintendent of Buildings be instructed to remove at once from the corridors of the State House the unsightly galvanized iron retainers, their tops decorated with the "save the forests" warning of the State Land Agent. This Order is in no sense a criticism of the Superintendent of Buildings, and does not suggest or imply that the above mentioned articles were placed in and about the State House by his direction or with his consent.

This Order was received out of order by unanimous consent.

Resolve in favor of the Clerk, Stenographer and the Messenger to the Judiciary Committee for services rendered.

Resolve in favor of T. W. Prince for services rendered as Clerk of the Senate Committee on Bills in the Second Reading;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Report of the Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve to amend Article 22 of the Constitution, as amended, relating to the limit of municipal indebtedness (Senate Document No. 269).

The report was accepted in concurrence, accompanying Resolve read once, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act to create the Anson Water District" (Senate Document No. 422), reporting the same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The report was accepted in concurrence, and accompanying Bill read twice.

On motion of Mr. GREATON of Starks,

Was tabled pending adoption of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence, and for the printing of said Amendment, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Report of Committee on Revision of the Statutes reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to repeal Section 26 of Chapter 144 of Revised Statutes, relating to the discharge of inmates of insane hospitals by municipal officers" (Senate Document No. 423).

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to repeal certain obsolete sections of Chapter 16 of Revised Statutes, relating to assessment of taxes by parishes" (Senate Document No. 424).

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to repeal Section 42 of Chapter 61 of Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of the mother to bind illegitimate children" (Senate Document No. 425).

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of appraisers by the probate courts" (Senate Document No. 426).

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to the verification of certificates of organization of corporations" (Senate Document No. 427).

The reports were accepted in concurrence, accompanying Bills read twice and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs reporting same on Bill "An Act to require certain vehicles to carry lights at night on public highways and bridges" (House Document No. 513).

This Bill returned from the Senate, that body refusing to adopt House Amendment "A," but with Senate Amendment "A" adopted in non-concurrence.

Mr. SMITH of Hampden moved indefinite postponement of the Bill.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The Bill was tabled pending adoption of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill as amended was ordered printed.

Report of Committee on Public Health reporting same on Bill "An Act to provide for the care and treatment of tubercular persons" (House Document No. 623).

In the House this report had been previously accepted, and Bill amended by House Amendment "A."

In the Senate House Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. LIBBY of Merrill,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed; on further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence; and on still further motion of same gentleman, the Bill as amended by House Amendment "A" and Senate Amendment "A" was passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Report of Committee on State Prison submitting majority and minority reports on Resolve in favor of altering and enlarging the State Prison at Thomaston (House Document No. 649).

Majority report, "ought not to pass," signed by Messrs. Chatto, Fulton, Dunton, Ellis, Leader, Brown, Lord, Tobey.

Minority report, "ought to pass," signed by Messrs. Fossett, Watts.

In the House the Minority report, "ought to pass," had been previously accepted, and Resolve passed to be engrossed.

In the Senate the Bill was amended by Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was tabled pending the adoption of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Report of Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act to create a Public Utilities Commission, prescribe its powers and duties and provide for the regulation and control of public utilities.'" The subject matter of this Bill is covered by another on same subject.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of William C. Hanson, for services as Clerk and Stenographer to the Committee on Salaries and Fees;

Resolve Appropriating Money to Pay Irene D. Chase, Stenographer and Typist to the Clerk of the House;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Majority report of the Committee on Agriculture, on Bill "An Act to amend Section four of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the manufacture, transportation and sale of dairy products and their imitations," reporting same in a new draft, under title of Bill "An Act to amend Sections four and five of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture in relation to the manufacture, transportation and sale of dairy

products and their imitations," and that it ought to pass. (Signed) Messrs. Conant, Bartlett, Moulton, Wilkins, Averill, McIntire and Blake.

Minority report of the same Committee, on same Bill, reporting "ought not to pass." (Signed) Mr. Peterson.

On motion of Mr. McINTIRE of Waterford,

The Majority report was accepted, and accompanying Bill ordered printed under joint rules.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 36 of Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 41 of the Laws of 1907, in relation to bail commissioners" (House Document No. 930);

Bill "An Act amendatory of Section 27 of Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones and other public utilities" (House Document No. 931);

Bill "An Act in relation to certain rights and liabilities of husband and wife" (House Document No. 932);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 24 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 10 of the Public Laws of 1909, in relation to reports of hearings in vacation in law or equity" (House Document No. 933);

Bill "An Act relating to procedure in the Supreme Judicial and Superior Courts" (House Document No. 934);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 27 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the record of attachment of bulky personal property" (House Document No. 935);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Maine Indemnity Company" (House Document No. 936);

Bill "An Act to determine the approximate amount of money necessary to defray the expenses of the public service" (House Document No. 937);

Bill "An Act additional to the charter of the city of Bidde-

ford and in effect amendatory of the said charter" (House Document No. 938);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 72 of Chapter four of the Revised Statutes of Maine as amended by Chapter 160 of the Acts and Resolves of 1909, by inserting after the word "day" in the fifth line of said Article 72 the words "Firemen's Memorial Sunday," so that said Section as amended shall read as follows" (House Document No. 939);

Bill "An Act to provide for State and County aid in the construction of highway bridges;"

Bill "An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to judges of probate" (House Document No. 941);

Bill "An Act to confer additional rights and powers upon the East Branch Improvement Company, a corporation incorporated by a special Act of the Legislature, approved March eighteenth, 1903" (House Document No. 942);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 135 of the Private and Special Laws of 1875 entitled 'An Act to establish a municipal court in the city of Auburn,' as amended by Chapter 186 of the Private and Special Laws of the same year, Chapter 51 of the Private and Special Laws of 1881, and Chapter 152 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891, Chapter 62 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, and Chapter 229 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903" (House Document No. 944);

Were read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Lewiston, and to provide for a police commission" (House Document No. 945);

Was read twice, and tomorrow assigned for third reading.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the third reading was assigned for Tuesday, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Resolve in favor of Kennebec County issuing bonds (House Document No. 946);

Bill "An Act authorizing the Secretary of State to prepare and publish list of corporations delinquent in payment of their franchise taxes" (House Document No. 947) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in a portion of Cupsuptic Stream, in Oxford County" (House Document No. 948) ;

Bill "An Act entitled 'An Act to create a State fund to be known as the State Contingent Fund'" (House Document No. 949) ;

Resolve in favor of Gardner K. Heath for services performed as assistant to Fortunat Belleau while he was acting Clerk pro tempore (House Document No. 950) ;

Resolve in favor of Gardner K. Heath for services in preparing a schedule of all Acts and Resolves carrying an appropriation or expenditure of money (House Document No. 951) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 2 and 8 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the extirpation of contagious diseases among cattle, horses, sheep and swine" (House Document No. 952) ;

Bill "An Act to provide Clerk hire for county officers" (House Document No. 953) ;

The foregoing Bills were read twice, Resolves read once and tomorrow assigned for third reading of Bills and second reading of Resolves.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 40 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913 relating to the closed season on fur-bearing animals" (Senate Document No. 377) ;

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. BENN of Hodgdon moved indefinite postponement of the Bill.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
Was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Tuesday,
March 30.

Bill "An Act to authorize the Norway and Paris Street Railway to purchase or lease the property and franchises of the Mechanic Falls Electric Light Company" (House Document No. 922);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted, Bill read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Fred R. Smith of Pittsfield, for expenses incurred as a member of the Hospital Trustees in investigating the conditions at the Augusta State Hospital (House Document No. 923);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden,

Resolve was tabled pending second reading and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 13 and 14 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 79 of the Public Laws of 1907, and as amended by Chapter 200 of the Public Laws of 1909, and as amended by Chapter 213 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to road commissioners" (House Document No. 924);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls,

The Bill was tabled pending third reading, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in Great Brook and in Dixon Brook, in York County" (House Document No. 926);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 29 of Chapter 93 of the Revised Statutes, relating to mechanics' liens on buildings" (House Document No. 927);

Bill "An Act to authorize the Maine Water Company to take water from certain lakes in Washington County" (House Document No. 928);

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Eden to own, maintain and operate an electric lighting plant" (House Document No. 929);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve for Laying the County Taxes for the Year Nineteen Hundred and Sixteen.

Resolve in Favor of Relief of the Heirs of Revolutionary Soldiers.

Resolve Reimbursing Joseph J. Roberts, an Agent for the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, for Money Expended and Services Rendered in the Discharge of His Duty.

An Act to Amend Section Eight of Chapter Three Hundred Twenty-five of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-seven, Fixing the Salary for the Recorder of the Municipal Court of Waterville.

An Act to Restore the Jurisdiction in Criminal Offenses to Trial Justices in the Towns of Kittery and York.

An Act Permitting the Use of Automobiles in the Town of Mount Desert.

An Act to Amend Section Sixty-three of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter Seventy-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Further Amended by Chapters Sixty-two and One Hundred Sixteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, and as Further Amended by Chapter Fifty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Tuition of Pupils in Secondary Schools.

An Act to Incorporate the South Berwick Sewer Company.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Fishing in Booker Brook, in Levant, in the County of Penobscot.

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Four Hundred Eighty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred One, Entitled, "An Act to Incorporate the York Harbor Village Corporation."

An Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter Two Hundred and Nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Time within Which Dealers in Securities Must Renew Their Registrations.

An Act to Provide for Safety Appliances Upon Cars Running on Street Railways.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Forty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Ages between Which Persons may be Admitted to the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Fishing in Mud Pond, Mirror Lake, Sometimes Called Parkis Pond, and their Tributaries, and Bog Stream and Its Tributaries down as far as North Pond Stream, in Franklin and Kennebec Counties.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter One Hundred Twenty-five of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Entitled, "An Act to Incorporate the Carrabassett Dam Company."

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Carrabassett River and Its Tributaries above the Bridge at Bigelow.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Shagg, Abbott and Little Concord Ponds and Their Tributaries in Oxford County.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Fishing in Belgrade Stream, in the County of Kennebec.

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-six of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen Relating to the Registration of Guides.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate,

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taking of Fish in Certain Waters in Washington and Aroostook Counties.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was tabled pending passage to be enacted, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

An Act to Repeal Chapter Eighty-seven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Three, Relating to the Taking of Lobsters within Three Miles of the Islands of Matinicus and Criehaven.

An Act Establishing a Close Time on Lobsters in the Towns of Cutler, Trescott and Lubec, in Washington County.

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-one of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two

Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Non-resident Hunting Licenses.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. LIBBY of Merrill asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce an Order out of order, and introduced the following:

ORDERED, That, for business reasons, Mr Pitt E. Averill of Prentiss, member of this House, be forthwith excused from further attendance on the sessions of this Legislature, and that his mileage and his pay for the session be allowed in full.

The Order was read and passed.

Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln asked unanimous consent to move reconsideration of the vote by which was accepted the report of Committee on House Document No. 258.

Being informed that that document was not then in possession of the House but was then in the Senate, Mr. THOMBS withdrew his request, and introduced, by unanimous consent, out of order, the following Order:

ORDERED, That the Secretary of the Senate be requested to return the papers relating to House Document No. 258 for further consideration.

The Order was read and passed.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the licensing of dogs" (Senate Document No. 400),

Which was tabled March 26 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. BENN of Hodgdon moved indefinite postponement, but subsequently withdrew the motion. On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Resolve in favor of Pitt E. Averill,
Which was tabled March 26 pending first reading,
Came up by assignment.
On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The Resolve was indefinitely postponed.

An Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Fishing in Violette Brook in Van Buren, in the County of Aroostook, above Hammond's Mill,

Which was tabled March 26 pending passage to be enacted,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. MICHAUD of Van Buren,
Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be enacted; on further motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed; and on still further motion of same gentleman. House Amendment "A," offered by himself, was adopted. On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was then passed to be engrossed as amended. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
Bill "An Act to incorporate the Bath Water District" (House Document No. 892),

Which was tabled March 26 pending adoption of House Amendment "A,"

Was taken from the table.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled for printing of House Amendment "A," with the understanding that the tabling was to be done in the name of Mr. HIGGINS, the gentleman who tabled it March 26.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
Bill "An Act relating to trial justices,"

Which was tabled March 19,

Was taken from the table, and, on further motion of same gentleman, was tabled for printing, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30, it being understood that Mr. ST. CLAIR will yield to Mr. RICKER of Castine when this matter comes from the table on Tuesday.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of the clerks of the judicial courts" (Senate Document No. 160)

Was placed before the House by the Speaker with the consent of the House.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. SMALL of Mount Desert,

The Bill was tabled pending acceptance of Senate amendments in concurrence, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of county commissioners" (Senate Document No. 146)

Was placed before the House by the Speaker with the consent of the House.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was then tabled pending acceptance of Senate amendments in concurrence, and assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

Was reconsidered the vote by which

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 215 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to municipal elections in the town of Eden" (House Document No. 258)

Had its Committee report, "ought not to pass," accepted.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was substituted for the report, Bill read twice, and third reading assigned for Tuesday, March 30.

On motion of Mr. DRUMMOND of Winslow,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M., Tuesday, March 30.

C. C. HARVEY,

Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
TUESDAY, MARCH 30, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingston of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Resolve in favor of clerk, stenographer and messenger to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Resolve in favor of Donald C. Gates, for services as messenger to the Committee on Towns;

Resolve in favor of Charles F. Barnes for services as messenger to the Committee on the Revision of the Statutes;

Were referred in concurrence to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 21 of Chapter 166 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to the salaries of Judge and Recorder of the Piscataquis Municipal Court,"

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. GERRISH of Greenville,

The Bill was read twice and passed to be engrossed in concurrence under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to appropriate moneys for the expenditures of government, and to provide for payment of certain deficiencies remaining unpaid January first, 1915,"

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland,

The Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed in

concurrence under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of Committee on Labor, on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 46 of the Public Laws of 1907, and Chapters 70 and 257 of the Public Laws of 1909, relative to the employment of women and children," reporting that same ought not to pass, subject matter having been covered by another Bill.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act entitled 'An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the method of settling damages caused by opening, altering, widening or changing the grade of State or State aid highways'" (Senate Document No. 430),

Came from the Senate passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A." The report was accepted in concurrence, and Bill read twice.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The Bill was read third time, and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

On further motion of same gentleman, reconsidered vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed; on further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence; and on still further motion of same gentleman, was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence, all under suspension of rules.

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 181 of Laws of 1911, relating to practice of embalming and transportation of bodies of persons who have died of infectious diseases" (Senate Document No. 432).

The report was accepted in concurrence, and Bill read twice.

On motion of Mr. MORSE of Rumford,

The Bill was read the third time, and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Legal Affairs, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 53 of the Laws of 1913, 'An

Act for the better regulation of the practice of dentistry," reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 433).

The report was accepted in concurrence, and Bill read twice.

On motion of Mr. HANSON of Sanford,

The Bill was read third time, and passed to be engrossed in concurrence under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to incorporate the Wells Beach Lighting District" (Senate Document No. 434).

The report was accepted in concurrence, and Bill read twice.

On motion of Mr. HANSON of Sanford,

The Bill was read third time, and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Agriculture submitting their final report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Report of Committee on Federal Relations submitting their final report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Orin B. Frost for services as Clerk to the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading;

Resolve in favor of Grace M. Frost for services as stenographer and typist to the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading;

Resolve in favor of P. H. Fitzgerald;

Were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, and sent to the Senate.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on

Resolve in favor of Arthur C. Smith, Secretary of the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls;

The report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was read twice and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of Committee on Revision of Statutes reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 7 of the Revised Statutes, authorizing the Land Agent to lease camp sites on lands belonging to the State, and to repeal obsolete portions of said Chapter."

The report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of Committee on Conference reporting "ought to pass" in a new draft, on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Governor" (House Document No. 371).

The report was accepted.

Mr. SANBORN of South Portland, moved that the Bill be read three times and be passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules.

Discussion ensued.

The Bill then took its third reading, and was passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 7 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relating to the Bar Harbor Municipal Court" (House Document No. 943);

Was read twice.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

Was read third time and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 71 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891 incorporating the city of Old Town" (House Document No. 956);

Was read twice.

On motion of Mr. WESCOTT of Bluehill,

Was read the third time and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to enlarge the duties of medical examiner" (House Document No. 954);

Was read twice.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

Was read the third time, and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 42 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the appointment of guardians by consent" (House Document No. 955);

Was read twice.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

Was read the third time, and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to provide for the destruction of dog fish and other members of the shark species" (House Document No. 957);

Was read twice.

On motion of Mr. WESCOTT of Bluehill,

The Bill was read the third time, and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 121 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, entitled, 'An Act to incorporate the Madison Water District,'" (House Document No. 958);

Was read twice.

Mr. MORSE of Rumford moved that the Bill be read the third time, and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill was tabled.

Resolve to amend article twenty-two of the Constitution, as amended, relating to the limit of municipal indebtedness of cities (Senate Document No. 269),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading,

and their report thereon accepted, and Bill was read the third time.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The Bill was tabled.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Oquossoc Light and Power Company" (Senate Document No. 364);

Bill "An Act for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from steam boilers or steam machinery operated by incompetent persons in cities of over 35,000 inhabitants" (Senate Document No. 412);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 18 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the State Board of Health" (Senate Document No. 416);

Bill "An Act to consolidate and revise the laws relating to State printing and binding" (Senate Document No. 421);

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 26 of Chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the discharge of inmates of the insane hospitals by municipal officers" (Senate Document No. 423);

Bill "An Act to repeal the last clause of Section nine and all of Section 23 of Chapter 16 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the assessment of taxes by parishes" (Senate Document No. 424);

Bill "An Act to repeal Section 42 of Chapter 61 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of the mother to bind illegitimate children" (Senate Document No. 425);

Bill "An Act relating to the appointment of appraisers by the probate courts" (Senate Document No. 426);

Bill "An Act relating to the verification of certificates of organization of corporations." (Senate Document No. 427);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 36 of Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 41 of the Public Laws of 1907, in relation to bail commissioners" (House Document No. 930);

Bill "An Act additional to Section 27 of Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to corporations for the operation of telegraphs or telephones and other public utilities" (House Document No. 931);

Bill "An Act in relation to certain rights and liabilities of husband and wife" (House Document No. 932);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 24 of the Public Laws of 1907, as amended by Chapter 10 of the Public Laws of 1909, in relation to reports of hearings in vacation in law or equity" (House Document No. 933);

Bill "An Act relating to procedure in the Supreme Judicial and Superior Courts" (House Document No. 934);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 27 of Chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the record of attachment of bulky personal property" (House Document No. 935);

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Maine Indemnity Company" (House Document No. 936);

Bill "An Act to determine the approximate amount of money necessary to defray the expenses of the public service" (House Document No. 937);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 408 of the Private and Special Laws of 1855, as amended, relating to the charter of the city of Biddeford" (House Document No. 938);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

Was tabled pending third reading.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 72 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 160 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to towns" (House Document No. 939);

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland,
Was tabled pending passage to be engrossed.

On motion of same gentleman, the Bill was taken from the table, under suspension of rules, and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to provide for State and County aid in the construction of highway bridges" (House Document No. 940) ;

Bill "An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to judges of probate" (House Document No. 941) ;

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time, passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 193 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the East Branch Improvement Company' " (House Document No. 942) ;

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. LIBBY of Merrill,
Was tabled pending passage to be engrossed.

Order from the Senate :

ORDERED, Whereas the Mayor and the Music Commission of the city of Portland gave a special invitation to each member of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature to be present, with ladies, at a grand concert in City Hall Auditorium, Portland, on February 18, 1915, and

Whereas many members availed themselves of the privilege to attend this splendid entertainment,

ORDERED that the Senate and House, by the passage of this order give public expression of their thanks and their deep appreciation of the thoughtfulness and courtesy on the part of those extending the above invitation.

The order was read and passed in concurrence. (This was received out of order.)

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 135 of the Private and Special Laws of 1875 entitled 'An Act to establish a municipal court in the city of Auburn,' as amended by Chapter 186 of the Private and Special Laws of the same year, Chapter 51 of the Private and Special Laws of 1881, and Chapter 152 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891, Chapter 62 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, and Chapter 229 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903" (House Document No. 944);

Resolve in favor of Kennebec County issuing bonds (House Document No. 946);

Bill "An Act authorizing the Secretary of State to prepare and publish lists of corporations delinquent in payment of their franchise taxes" (House Document No. 947);

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in a portion of Cupsuptic Stream, in Oxford County" (House Document No. 948);

Bill "An Act entitled 'An Act to create a State fund to be known as the State Contingent Fund'" (House Document No. 949);

Resolve in favor of Gardner K. Heath for Services performed as assistant to Fortunat Belleau while he was acting clerk pro tempore (House Document No. 950);

Resolve in favor of Gardner K. Heath for services in preparing a schedule of all Acts and Resolves carrying an appropriation or expenditure of money (House Document No. 951);

Bill "An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911 as amended by Chapter 74 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to livestock" (House Document No. 340); new draft: Bill "An Act to amend Sections 2 and 8 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the extirpation of contagious diseases among cattle, horses, sheep and swine" (House Document No. 952);

Were reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, their reports thereon accepted, Bills read the third time,

Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act providing clerk hire for county officers" (House Document No. 953) ;

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

Was tabled pending third reading.

An Act Relating to the Acquisition of Land for Playground and Park Purposes by Village Corporations.

An Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter Thirty-one of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Licenses Issued by Municipal Officers of Towns for the Operation of Steam Riding Galleries.

An Act Amendatory of Section One Hundred Twenty-six of Chapter Forty-nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Reserve Fund Deposited with the State Treasurer by Assessment Casualty Insurance Companies.

An Act to Amend the Purposes and Grant Additional Powers to the Atlantic Maritime Company.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Stratton Brook and in the Tributaries to Said Brook and in the Mount Bigelow Ponds, in Franklin County.

An Act to Regulate the Taking of Frogs from Big Fish Lake, Portage Lake, Square Lake, Eagle Lake, Long Lake, Soldier Pond and in the Tributaries to Said Pond and Lakes, in Aroostook County.

An Act Providing for Enumeration of Neat Cattle, Sheep and Swine.

An Act to Amend Sections Thirty-eight, Thirty-nine, Forty, Forty-two and Forty-four of Chapter Twenty-eight of the Re-

vised Statutes, Relating to the Protection of Life in Public Buildings.

An Act to Amend Sections Fifteen and Sixteen of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Adoption of Rules and Regulations Restricting Fishing and Hunting in Cases of Emergency.

An Act to Amend Section Sixteen of Chapter Two Hundred Twenty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Primary Elections.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

An Act Additional to Chapter Eighty of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Powers of the County Commissioners of Penobscot County in Regard to Securing Temporary Loans.

Was reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution of the State, a majority of all the members elected to the House was necessary for its passage. A division of the House being had, 117 members voted for its passage to be enacted, and none against the same. Hence the Bill was passed to be enacted as an emergency measure.

An Act to Amend Section Nineteen of Chapter Sixteen of the Revised Statutes, so as to Create the Trustees of the Local Methodist Episcopal Churches a Corporation.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-five of Chapter One Hundred Fourteen of the Revised Statutes, Authorizing Justices of the Peace to Continue the Disclosure Hearings of Poor Debtors under Certain Circumstances.

An Act to Repeal Section Nine of Chapter Seventy-three of the Revised Statutes, Requiring the Consent of Overseers of the Poor to Sales of Real Estate by Guardians in Certain Cases.

An Act Relating to the Vinalhaven Lighting Company.

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter One Hundred Forty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Entitled, "An Act Granting a New Charter to the Farmington Village Corporation."

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Two Hundred Ninety-seven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Fort Kent Village Corporation.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
Bill was tabled pending enactment.

An Act Relating to the Accounts of the Various State Examining Boards and to Provide for the Bonding of all officials and Clerks Who Handle Public Moneys.

An Act to Amend Section Thirteen of Chapter Two Hundred and Four of the Public Laws of Eighteen Hundred Fifty-six, Relating to the Recorder of the Municipal Court of the City of Portland.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Two Hundred and Four of the Public Laws of Eighteen Hundred Fifty-six, in Relation to the Jurisdiction of the Municipal Court of the City of Portland, as Amended by Section One of Chapter Twenty-eight of the Public Laws of Eighteen Hundred Eighty-seven and Section One of Chapter One Hundred and Thirty-four of the Public Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-five.

An Act to Amend Section Three of Chapter One Hundred and Ninety-nine of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Collection of Assessments for Street Improvements in the City of Bath.

An Act Additional to Chapter Eighty-four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Pleadings in Actions at Law on Insurance Policies.

An Act to Confirm the Doings of the Forest Avenue Congregational Church of Bangor.

An Act Relating to the Payment of Legacies.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in Favor of the Eastern Maine Orphans' Home for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of Gorham P. Grant for Refund of Money Paid in Lieu of Military Service in the Late War of the Rebellion.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolves finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve for Laying the County Taxes for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fifteen.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution of the State, a majority of all the members elected to the House was required for its final passage. A division of the House being had, 119 members voted for its final passage, and none against it. Hence Resolve was finally passed as an emergency measure.

Resolve to Reimburse the Town of Aurora for Over-expenditure on the Nineteen Hundred Thirteen State Aid Road.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Society of the Sons of the American Revolution to Provide Markers for the Unmarked Graves of the Soldiers of the Revolution.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Completion of the Fish Screen at the Outlet of Beech Hill Lake, in the Town of Otis.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Carry Out the Provisions of Chapter One Hundred Fifty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Entitled, "An Act to Regulate the Packing, Shipping and Sale of Apples."

Resolve in Favor of the Madigan Memorial Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve Reimbursing the Great Northern Paper Company for Money Expended in Excess of One-half the Cost of the Construction of a Bridge across the Moose River.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in the Construction of the Substructure of a Highway Bridge over the St. John River between the Town of Madawaska, Maine, and the City of Edmundston, New Brunswick.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Middle Dam Carry Road in the Town of Upton and the Plantation of Magalloway, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of Dana H. Danforth, Secretary of the Committee on School for Feeble Minded, for the Expenses of Said Committee in Visiting the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Resolve Allowing Ozias M. Goff to Tap and Take Water from the Main Running across His Farm to the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Resolve in Favor of A. H. Whitman, the Official Reporter of the House of Representatives, for Assistance Employed by Him in the Preparation and Completion of the Legislative Record.

Resolve in Favor of Fortunat O. Michaud, Secretary of the Committee on Public Health, for Expenses Incurred by Said Committee in Visiting the Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Bangor.

Resolve in Favor of the Conference of Commissioners, and of the Commissioners from Maine, for the Promotion of Uniformity of Legislation in the United States.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Care and Maintenance of Fort William Henry in the Town of Bristol.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Mary A. Moulton

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Bridge between Eastport and Perry.

Resolve in Favor of Rena Cooley of Augusta.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Certain Road in the Town of Cushing, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Reimburse the City of Biddeford for Money Expended for the Support of a Certain State Pauper.

Resolve Reimbursing the City of Biddeford for Money Expended for the Support of Certain State Paupers.

Resolve in Favor of the Bath City Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Restore the Early Records in the Office of the Clerk of Courts for York County.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Repair of Roads and Bridges in Indian Township, in the County of Washington.

Resolve Authorizing the State Historian to Publish Historical Matter in Relation to the State of Maine.

Resolve in Favor of E. W. Murphy, Secretary of the Joint Special Committee appointed by the Seventy-sixth Legislature on Women's Reformatory, State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, for Certain Committee Expenses.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine State Prison for Certain Improvements and Repairs.

Resolve Declaratory of Certain Amendments of the Constitution of Maine.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Improvement of the State Park on the Easterly Side of State Street.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Construction, Equipment, Service Connections and Furnishings of One Brick Building for a Central Kitchen and Bakery at the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolves finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Forty-three of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to the Protection of Game Birds.

An Act to Provide for the Granting of Lobster Licenses and Giving State-Wide Jurisdiction to Wardens.

An Act to Regulate the Sale of Lightning Rods.

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Thirty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Entitled, "An Act to Authorize the Houlton Water Company to Generate, Sell and Distribute Electricity," as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven.

An Act to Incorporate the Centre Lovell Cemetery Association.

An Act to Amend Section Seven of Chapter One Hundred Eighty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Entitled, "An Act to Establish in Cumberland County a County Farm."

An Act Additional to Chapter One Hundred Eighty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Entitled, "An Act to Establish in Cumberland County a County Farm."

An Act to Ratify and Confirm the Organization of the State Young Men's Christian Association of Maine and to Increase Its Powers.

An Act to Incorporate the Presque Isle Sewerage Company.

An Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred and Sixty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Payment of Small Legacies to Minors under Any Decree of Court.

An Act Relative to the Hours of Employment of Women and Minors.

An Act to Amend Section Twenty-one of Chapter Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Compensation of Guardians.

An Act to Amend Sections Three and Four of Chapter Seventy of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Eighty-seven, Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Spencer Dam Company," as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Ninety-five of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, and also to Amend Said Chapter Seventy by Adding Thereto Sections Five, Six and Seven.

An Act Authorizing the Towns of Mexico and Rumford in the County of Oxford to Purchase the Toll Bridge between said Towns, Erected and Owned by the Mexico Bridge Company.

An Act to Amend Section Eight of Chapter One Hundred and Thirty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to State and State Aid Highways.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter One Hundred Ninety-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Ninety-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, and as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred Eighty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Amount of the School Equalization Fund,

An Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter Three Hundred Eighty-three of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-seven, Relating to the Tolls to be charged by the South Branch Improvement Company.

An Act to Enable the Cities and Towns of the State of Maine to Appropriate Money to Aid in the Erection of the Knox Memorial Building.

An Act to Provide for Granting Administration in Certain Cases without Giving Bond.

An Act to Authorize the Construction of a Weir in the Tide Waters of the Cobscook River in the Town of Lubec.

An Act to Incorporate the Harmony Water Company.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Rockland, South Thomaston and St. George Railway.

An Act to Amend Sections One and Two of Chapter One Hundred Thirty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Fourteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taxing of Insurance in Companies not Authorized to Do Business in Maine.

An Act Relative to the Hours of Labor of Employees of Street Railway Companies.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Commissioners of Pharmacy,

Came from the Senate with Resolve read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

The report was accepted in concurrence, and accompanying Resolve read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules, on motion of Mr. LORD of Ellsworth, in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act amendatory of and additional to Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913 entitled 'An Act to create a Public Utilities Commission,' and prescribing the duties and powers thereof, and to amend certain provisions of the Revised Statutes and of the Public Laws of the State of Maine relating to Public Utilities," reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass,

Came from the Senate, Bill read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

The report was accepted in concurrence, and accompanying Bill read three times and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules, on motion of Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls, in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Temperance submitting their final report, that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Railroads and Expresses, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 32 of Chapter 129 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to leased lines of railroad companies," reporting same ought not to pass, as the subject matter has been considered under another Bill by Judiciary Committee.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Banks and Banking, on Resolve to provide for a revision of the laws relating to banks and banking, reporting ought not to pass, as legislation is inexpedient, (Senate Document No. 303).

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 17 and 20 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, as amended, relating to the measurement of lobsters" (House Document No. 895).

This Bill was passed to be engrossed in the House March 25 as amended by House Amendment "A." It returned from the Senate indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. LEWIS of North Haven,

The House receded, and concurred with the Senate in indefinite postponement of the Bill.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of C. R. Tupper for services in formulating Bills for Committee on Salaries and Fees.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

The report came from the Senate with accompanying Resolve read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. MAXWELL of Boothbay Harbor,

The Resolve was read twice and was passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Resolve providing a State Pension for James B. Smith,
Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed
under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. GREELEY of Portland,

The Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed in
concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Af-
fairs reporting "ought to pass" on

Resolve in favor of the official reporter of the Senate (Senate
Document No. 446),

Came from the Senate with report accepted and accompany-
ing Resolve read twice under suspension of rules.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan,

The Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed in
concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Af-
fairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve appropriating money
for the purchase of filing cases for the offices of the Secretary
and President of the Senate. (Senate Document No. 445),

Came from the Senate with report accepted and accompany-
ing Resolve read twice and passed to be engrossed under sus-
pension of rules.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. LORD of Ellsworth,

The Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed in
concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Af-
fairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve to provide for the
payment of telephone service for members during the present
session of the Legislature (Senate Document No. 444),

Came from the Senate with report accepted and Resolve
read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of
rules.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The Resolve was read once.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Resolve was tabled pending second reading, and assigned for second reading at 2.00 P. M. this day.

Report of Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 93 of Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 169, Public Laws of 1913, relating to registration of chattel mortgages," reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 441),

Came from the Senate with report accepted and accompanying Bill read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act for the better protection of children and to amend Chapter 61 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, and Chapter 123 of the Public Laws of 1907 and Chapter 109 of the Public Laws of 1909," reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 440),

Came from the Senate with report accepted and accompanying Bill read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee of Judiciary, on Bill "An Act to define county lines in the waters of the State," reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 439),

Came from the Senate with report accepted and accompanying Bill read twice and passed to be engrossed.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

The Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of the Commission duly appointed and acting by and under Section 43, Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to probate forms and practice (Senate Document No. 438),

Came from the Senate with report accepted and accompanying Resolve read twice and passed to be engrossed.

The report was accepted in concurrence, and, on motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan, accompanying Resolve read twice and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of C. W. Dutton, Secretary of Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance (Senate Document No. 437),

Came from the Senate with report accepted and accompanying Resolve read twice and passed to be engrossed.

The report was accepted in concurrence, and on motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act to amend the charter and extend the powers of the Hiram Water, Light and Power Company," reporting same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass (Senate Document No. 312),

Came from the Senate with report accepted and accompanying Bill read twice and passed to be engrossed.

The report was accepted in concurrence, and, on motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine, the Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report "A," of Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting "ought to pass" in new draft, under same title, on Resolve appropriating money to aid in building a State road from Jackman in Somerset County to Rockwood on Moosehead Lake (Senate Document No. 429).

(Signed) Messrs. Colby, Burleigh, Besse, Pollard, Cobb.

Report "B," of same Committee on same Resolve, reporting that same ought not to pass.

(Signed) Messrs. Conant, Wilkins, Perham, Durgain, Colcord.

Came from the Senate with Report "A" adopted and Resolve read twice and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A."

Mr. DUTTON of Bingham moved that Report "A," "ought to pass," be accepted.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. DUTTON asked for a division, which was had, and Report "A" was accepted by a vote of 79 to 40.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The House voted to take a recess till 2.00 P. M.

AFTER RECESS

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Senate Document No. 429 was read once under suspension of rules. On further motion of same gentleman Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was read the second time and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

Resolve appropriating money for the construction of one brick dormitory for inmates at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (Senate Document No. 362).

This Resolve was passed to be engrossed in the Senate March 18. In the House March 26 it was indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence. It returned from the Senate, that body insisting and calling for a conference, with Messrs. BOYNTON, JILLSON, and GARCELON appointed as Senate members of the Committee on Conference.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, the House acceded to the request for a conference, and the Speaker appointed Messrs. PIERCE of Houlton, PLUMMER of Lisbon and PERHAM of Woodstock as House members of the Committee on Conference.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the authority of the County Commissioners of Cumberland County to raise money by temporary loans" (House Document No. 858).

This Bill was passed to be engrossed in the House March 24. In the Senate it was passed to be engrossed March 30 as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed, and, on further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and, on still further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

Bill "An Act providing for the temporary licensing of automobiles and motor vehicles" (House Document No. 885),

Came from the Senate with Senate Amendment "A" adopted in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland, was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed, On further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 244 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to transmitting by corporations of electric power beyond the confines of the State" (Senate Document No. 431),

Came from the Senate with the report accepted, and accompanying Bill indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. HANSON of Sanford,

The report was accepted in concurrence, and the accompanying Bill indefinitely postponed in concurrence.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland asked and obtained suspension of the rules to enable him to introduce a Resolve, and introduced the following out of order:

Resolve in favor of State House employees.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF, the Resolve was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing action of the two Branches of the Legislature on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Governor," reporting "ought to pass," in new draft under same title. (Signed) Messrs. Boynton, Herrick and Durgin, on the part of the Senate, and Messrs. Conners, Thombs and Pierce on the part of the House.

The report was accepted. On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

The bill took its three readings, and was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

ORDERED, the House concurring, that the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs be directed to make up the pay roll of the officers, employees and chaplains of the Senate and House in accordance with the Laws of 1915, relating thereto, and that the said Committee be directed to make up the pay roll of the members of the Senate and House in accordance with the law relating thereto,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

This Order was received out of order.

Bill "An Act relative to the granting of licenses by the municipal officers of the city of Portland," (House Document No. 735),

Which was previously passed to be engrossed in the House as amended by House Amendment "A," returned from the Senate, that body refusing in non-concurrence to accept House Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. COLCORD of Portland,

Was tabled pending concurrence with the action of the Senate in regard to House Amendment "A."

Mr. SANBORN of South Portland asked and obtained suspension of the rules to enable him to introduce out of order Reports of Committee on Judiciary on

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the Portland Water District."

He accordingly introduced the Reports, the Majority Report reporting "ought to pass," and the Minority Report reporting "ought not to pass."

On motion of same gentleman, the Majority Report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. GREELEY of Portland, the Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought to pass" on

Resolve to provide for the payment of telephone service for members during the present session of the Legislature (Senate Document No. 444),

Came from the Senate accepted, and accompanying Resolve read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. NICHOLAS of Eastport, the report was accepted in concurrence, and accompanying Resolve read twice and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act for the reorganization or consolidation of the railroad companies constituting the Boston and Maine Railroad System."

The report was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The accompanying Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Resolve in favor of Michael Burns,

Which was tabled March 25 pending acceptance of either Committee report,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. CONNERS of Bangor moved the acceptance of the Majority Report "ought not to pass,"

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PERKINS of Augusta moved to substitute the Minority Report for the Majority Report, and asked a division of the House, which was had, and the motion so to substitute was lost by a vote of 49 to 64.

Mr. PERKINS then moved the acceptance of the Minority Report, and Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock called for a division of the House, which was had, and the motion to accept the Minority Report, "ought to pass," prevailed by a vote of 63 to 60.

On motion of Mr. PERKINS the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to grant a new charter to the city of Bangor, Penobscot County, State of Maine, repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith" (House Document No. 920),

Which was tabled March 26 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. CONNERS of Bangor moved that the Bill take its third reading.

Mr. ROBINSON of Bangor moved House Amendment "A," moving its adoption.

Discussion ensued.

The question being on the motion of Mr. ROBINSON to adopt House Amendment "A," Mr. CONNERS asked for a division, which was had, and the motion to adopt House Amendment "A" was lost by a vote of 35 to 77.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS, the Bill was then read the third time, and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to provide for the disposition of contraband liquors" (House Document No. 890),

Which was tabled March 26 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,
The Bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard asked and obtained suspension of the rules to enable him to introduce a Bill, and introduced the following out of order:

Bill "An Act defining 'An Act to establish a minimum wage for State House employees.'"

Same gentleman moved that the Bill be read three times and passed to be engrossed, without reference to a Committee, under suspension of rules, and the motion prevailed. The Bill was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham asked and obtained suspension of rules to enable him to introduce a Report out of order, and introduced the following:

Report of Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on Bill An Act directing the Insurance Commissioner to abrogate the license of foreign insurance companies under certain conditions (House Document No. 722), reporting same in new draft under same title and that it ought to pass.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The report was tabled, with tomorrow morning assigned.

Mr. HARADEN of Bath asked and obtained suspension of the rules to enable him to introduce out of order a Bill, and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 330 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relating to the salary of the Recorder of the Bath Municipal Court."

On motion of Mr. HARADEN, the Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Bath Water District,"
(House Document No. 892),

Which was tabled March 26 pending the adoption of House Amendment "A," offered by Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Came up by assignment.

The pending question being the motion of Mr. PLUMMER to adopt House Amendment "A," Mr. HARADEN asked for a division, which was had, after discussion, and the motion to adopt House Amendment "A" was lost by a vote of 36 to 58.

Mr. CORLISS of Bath then asked that an error in the printing of the Bill be corrected, and the Clerk was authorized to make the necessary correction.

On motion of Mr. CORLISS Bill as corrected was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard claimed that Senate Amendment "A" to House Bill No. 885, Bill "An Act for the temporary licensing of automobiles and motor vehicles," was inconsistent with the Bill itself, which was this day passed to be engrossed.

He therefore moved reconsideration of the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed, and the vote was so reconsidered.

On further motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the vote by which Senate Amendment "A" was adopted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was tabled and assigned for tomorrow.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Grindstone Boom Company" (House Document No. 964),

Which was tabled March 26 for printing,

Was taken from the table on motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer.

There were two reports from the Committee on Judiciary on this Bill, as follows:

Report "A," reporting "ought to pass" in new draft, under same title, on same. (Signed) Messrs. McCARTY, WATERHOUSE, CAMPBELL, CONNELLAN, SANBORN,

Report "B," reporting "ought not to pass," on same, (Signed) Messrs. COLE, DURGIN, CONNERS, PIERCE, BUTLER.

Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls moved acceptance of Report "A," "ought to pass."

Discussion ensued.

The question being on the acceptance of Report "A," and a viva voce vote leaving the matter in doubt, a division of the House was had, and the motion was lost by a vote of 41 to 64.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer, Report "B," "ought not to pass," was accepted. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, the House voted to take a recess till 7.30 P. M.

EVENING SESSION

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 54 and 65 of Chapter 8 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 49 of the Public Laws of 1909, relative to the taxation of mortgages on real estate in savings banks and trust and banking companies" (Senate Document No. 392),

Which was tabled March 26 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon offered House Amendment "A," moving its adoption, and it was so adopted.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A," in non-concurrence, It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Mutual Loan Society of Lewiston" (Senate Document No. 405),

Which was tabled March 26 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

The Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to provide for the destruction of dog fish and other members of the shark species in the waters of Maine" (House Document No. 198),

Which was tabled March 26 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

The Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act authorizing the Clark Power Company to construct a dam across the Saco River between the towns of Buxton and Dayton" (Senate Document No. 310),

Which was tabled March 26 pending reconsideration of passage to be engrossed,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. HANSON of Sanford offered House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

The question being on the motion to adopt House Amendment "A," the motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

The Bill was passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Oldtown Hospital for maintenance,

Which was tabled March 25 pending final passage,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. LIBBY of Merrill,

The Resolve was finally passed. It was then sent to the Senate.

An Act to fix the Salaries of the Agents of the Tribes of the Passamaquoddy and Penobscot Indians,

Which was tabled March 26 pending passage to be enacted,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was reconsidered the vote by which Bill was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. PIERCE then offered House Amendment "A," which was adopted.

On further motion of Mr. PIERCE,

The Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate after being signed by the Speaker.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relat-

ing to Ice Fishing in the Kennebec River, in Somerset County.

Which was tabled March 26 pending passage to be enacted,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan,

The Bill was then passed to be enacted. It was signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of altering and enlarging the State Prison at Thomaston (House Document No. 649),

Which was tabled March 27 pending adoption of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. LORD of Ellsworth moved to indefinitely postpone the Resolve.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. LORD called for a division, which was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Resolve was lost by a vote of 27 to 71.

On motion of Mr. HANSON of Sanford, was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. FORD of Whitefield, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 40 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the closed season on fur-bearing animals" (Senate Document No. 377),

Which was tabled March 27 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Lewiston and to provide for a Police Commission" (House Document No. 945),

Which was tabled March 27 pending third reading,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. CLIFFORD of Lewiston offered House Amendment "A."

On motion of

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

The Bill was tabled pending adoption of House Amendment "A," and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve in favor of Fred R. Smith of Pittsfield for expenses incurred as a member of the Hospital Trustees investigating the conditions at the Augusta State Hospital (House Document No. 923),

Which was tabled March 27 pending second reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham,

The Resolve was read the second time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 13 and 14 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to road commissioners" (House Document No. 924),

Which was tabled March 27 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. CAMPBELL of Island Falls moved indefinite postponement of the Bill, but the motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

The Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 222 of the public laws of 1909, relating to the licensing of dogs" (Senate Document No. 400),

Which was tabled March 27 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. BENN of Hodgdon,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of the clerks of the judicial courts" (Senate Document No. 160),

Which was tabled March 27 pending passage to be engrossed,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. CORLISS of Bath,

Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence.

Mr. SMALL of Mount Desert moved to non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Amendment "B," but the motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

On motion of Mr. WESCOTT of Bluehill, Senate Amendment "B" was adopted in concurrence, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendments "A" and "B" in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of county commissioners" (Senate Document No. 146),

Which was tabled March 27 pending passage to be engrossed,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland moved to non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Amendment "A," and the motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

Senate Amendment "B" was adopted in concurrence, and, on further motion of same gentleman, Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "B." It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 215 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to municipal elections in the town of Eden" (House Document No. 258),

Which was tabled March 27 pending third reading,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill An Act relating to trial justices (House Document No. 962),

Which was tabled March 27 pending third reading and for printing,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

The Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,
Bill "An Act to provide clerk hire for county officers"
(House Document No. 953),

Which was tabled this morning pending third reading,
Was taken from the table.

Mr. GREENLEAF moved indefinite postponement of the Bill.

Discussion ensued.

The motion to indefinitely postpone the Bill prevailed on a viva voce vote.

Mr. SANBORN of South Portland asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a Bill out of order, and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act to determine the amount to be paid for clerk hire in the several counties."

On motion of Mr. SANBORN, the Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules, without reference to a Committee.

On motion of Mr. LIBBY of Merrill,
Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 193 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the East Branch Improvement Company'" (House Document No. 942),

Which was tabled this morning,
Was taken from the table.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,
Bill "An Act additional to Chapter 408 of the Private and Special Laws of 1855, relating to the charter of the city of Biddeford" (House Document No. 938),

Which was tabled this morning,
Was taken from the table.
On further motion of same gentleman,
The Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed.
It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to create the Anson Water District" (Senate Document No. 422),

Which was tabled pending adoption of Senate Amendment
"A" in concurrence,
Came up by assignment.
On motion of Mr. GREATON of Starks,

Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and,
on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read the
third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate
Amendment "A" in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 35 of
the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the duties of the Com-
missioner of Agriculture in relation to the manufacture, trans-
portation and sale of dairy products and their imitation"
(House Document No. 960),

Which was tabled March 26 for printing,
Came up by assignment.

The Majority Report, "ought to pass," had already been
accepted, and the Bill was read twice, and tomorrow assigned
for third reading.

Bill "An Act to require certain vehicles to carry lights at
night on public highways and bridges" (House Document No.
513),

Which was tabled March 26,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed
to be engrossed. (The Bill had previously been passed to be
engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A.")

Mr. FAY of Dexter moved to table the Bill, with tomorrow
assigned, but a viva voce vote on the motion left the matter
in doubt. A division of the House was had, and the motion to

table the Bill was lost by a majority so large that the Speaker declared the taking of the exact account unnecessary.

Mr. FAY moved concurrence with the Senate in adoption of Senate Amendment "A."

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved indefinite postponement of the Bill, and, a viva voce vote leaving the matter in doubt, a division of the House was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Bill prevailed by a vote of 52 to 48.

Mr. BUSSEY of Dixmont moved to reconsider the vote by which the Bill was indefinitely postponed, but the motion was lost on a division of the House by a vote of 37 to 54.

Mr. SANBORN of South Portland moved to reconsider the vote by which Bill "An Act to determine the amount to be paid for clerk hire in the several counties" was read the third time and passed to be engrossed, but the motion so to reconsider was lost on a viva voce vote.

Bill "An Act to Amend Chapter 121 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the Madison Water District'" (House Document No. 958),

Which was tabled this morning,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. POLLARD of Solon,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve to amend Article 22 of the Constitution as amended, relating to the limit of municipal indebtedness of cities (Senate Document No. 269),

Which was tabled this morning,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon offered House Amendment "A," which was adopted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relative to the granting of licenses for certain businesses and purposes by the municipal officers of the city of Portland" (House Document No. 735),

Which was tabled this morning,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GREELEY of Portland, the Bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. GREELEY then moved reconsideration of the vote by which the Bill was indefinitely postponed, but the motion failed on a viva voce vote. The Bill was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to incorporate the Hartland Water District" (Senate Document No. 442),

Which was tabled this morning,

Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock,

The Bill was then read the third time and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act increasing the amount of exemption from taxation on musical instruments,"

Which was tabled February 25 pending acceptance of report of Committee,

Came up by order.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved to substitute the Bill for the Report "ought not to pass."

A viva voce vote leaving the matter in doubt, a division of the House was had, and the motion to substitute the Bill for the Report prevailed by a vote of 45 to 37.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read three times under suspension of rules.

Mr. ROBERTS of Portland moved to reconsider the vote by which the Bill was read third time, but the motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

The Bill was then passed to be engrossed, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 4, 7 and 8 of Chapter 65 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the Department of Labor and Industry, and to further amend said Chapter by adding Section 12 thereto" (House Document No. 401),

Which was tabled March 9 pending adoption of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence,

Came up by order.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

The motion to non-concur prevailed, the House refusing to adopt Senate Amendment "A."

On further motion of Mr. McCARTY the Bill was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Twenty-three of Chapter Eighteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven and Chapter Forty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Annual Appropriation for the State Laboratory of Hygiene,

Which was tabled March 16 pending passage to be enacted,
Came up by order.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was passed to be enacted. It was then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act relating to compensation of registers of probate;"

Bill "An Act relating to compensation of clerks of courts;"

Bill "An Act relating to compensation of registers of deeds;"

Which were tabled March 19 by Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,
Came up by order.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

They were indefinitely postponed. They were then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Lisbon to supply gas and electricity" (House Document No. 778),

Which was tabled March 23 pending second reading,
Came up by order.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

The Bill was read the second time.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon offered House Amendment "A," which was adopted.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A."

Mr. SANBORN of South Portland, moved to reconsider the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed, and the vote was so reconsidered.

Same gentleman then moved to reconsider the vote by which the Bill was read the third time as amended by House Amendment "A," but the motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill was then passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to define and make plain the meanings of Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 328 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, relating to the reconstruction of the easterly span of the Oldtown-Milford Bridge,"

Which was tabled March 23 pending acceptance of Committee report,

Came up by order.

Mr. McCARTY moved acceptance of Committee Report, "ought not to pass,"

Mr. DAVIS moved that the Bill be substituted for the Report, but the motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The report of Committee was accepted.

Resolve to authorize Herbert L. Kimball to bring a suit at law or in equity against the State of Maine for money claimed to be due him from the State (House Document No. 690),

Which was tabled March 23 pending printing of amendments,
Came up by order.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved to accept report of Committee "ought to pass in new draft," and the report was so accepted.

Mr. PIERCE then offered House Amendment "A," which is printed as House Document No. 914.

A viva voce vote leaving the matter in doubt, a division of the House was had, and the motion to adopt House Amendment "A" prevailed by a vote of 52 to 32.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston moved the adoption of House Amendment "B," which is printed as House Document No. 917, and it was so adopted.

On motion of Mr. GREELEY of Portland,
House Amendment "C," which is printed as House Document No. 918, was withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE the Resolve was read the second time, and was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendments 'A' and "B." It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve to authorize DeForest Keyes to bring a suit at law or in equity against the State of Maine for money claimed to be due him from the State (House Document No. 691),

Which was tabled March 23 for the printing of amendments,
Came up by order.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,
The report of the Committee, "ought to pass in new draft," was accepted.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read the first time under suspension of rules.

Mr. PIERCE offered House Amendment "A," which is printed as House Document No. 916, and it was adopted.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston offered House Amendment "B," which is printed as House Document No. 915, and it was adopted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendments "A" and "B."

Mr. PIERCE then moved to reconsider the vote by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed as amended, but the motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

Mr. PIERCE then moved to reconsider the vote by which was passed to be engrossed as amended, House Document No. 690, but the motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

Bill "An Act amending Section 11 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913" (House Document No. 901),

Which was tabled March 23 for printing pending reference to a Committee,

Came up by order.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was indefinitely postponed.

Bill "An Act for the better protection and preservation of the lobster fisheries, authorizing the appointment of a commission" (House Document No. 925),

Which was tabled March 24 pending third reading,

Came up by order.

On motion of Mr. MULLIGAN of Nobleboro,

The Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed.

It was then sent to the Senate.

An Act to Repeal Section Four of Chapter Two Hundred Seventeen of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Entitled, "An Act to Incorporate the Inter-Urban Ferry Company."

An Act to Provide for the Establishment of a Board of Recreation for the City of Portland.

An Act to Amend Subdivision F of Division Sixth of Section Twenty-three of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes with Reference to the Investment of Deposits of Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings.

An Act to Fix the Salary of the Clerk of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game.

An Act to Fix the Salaries of Certain Public Officers.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Sepaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act Creating the Southern Maine Forest District, and Providing for Protection against Fires Therein.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was tabled pending passage to be enacted, and assigned for tomorrow.

An Act to Amend Section Eighty of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Fifteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Allowing Trust Companies to Become Stockholders in Federal Reserve Banks.

An Act Additional to Chapter One Hundred and Fifty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Marking upon Barrels and Boxes to be Used in Shipping Apples.

An Act to Amend Section Eight of Chapter One Hundred Thirty-Three of the Revised Statutes, Providing That Warrants Issued by Trial Justices May Be Returned before Any Municipal Court in the Same County.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act Relating to the Appointment of Harbor Masters for the Harbor of Portland.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland,

Was tabled pending passage to be enacted, and assigned for tomorrow.

An Act to Regulate the Shipment of Lobsters by Shippers with Established Places of Business.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter One Hundred Fifty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Verification of Savings Deposits in Savings Banks, Institutions for Savings, Trust and Banking Companies.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-four of Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Appointment of Cruelty Agents.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

Was tabled pending passage to be enacted, and tomorrow assigned.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter One Hundred Fourteen of the Revised Statutes of Nineteen Hundred Three, Relating to Arrests and Disclosures on Leaving the State.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard,

Was tabled pending passage to be enacted, and assigned for tomorrow.

An Act to Provide for the Systematic Maintenance of the Principal Thoroughfare in Each Municipality in the State.

An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of South Portland Thereby Providing for the Election of Assessors by the Citizens.

An Act to Amend Sections Two, Three and Five of Chapter Twenty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Use of the Cinematograph, Cinetograph, Kinetoscope and Moving Picture Machine.

An Act to Amend Section Seventy-five of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Loans in Anticipation of Issue of Bonds or Notes.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Twenty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relative to the Use of the Cinematograph.

An Act to Amend Section Twenty-eight of Chapter Six of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Ninety-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Time of Opening and Closing of Polls at Elections, and also to Repeal Section Thirty-five of Said Chapter Six of the Revised Statutes.

An Act Relating to the Appointment of an Agent by a Non-resident Testamentary Trustee.

An Act to Provide for Semi-monthly Payments on Account of State Contracts.

An Act to Incorporate the Southwest Harbor Water District.

An Act to Extend and Enlarge the Powers of the Limerick Water and Electric Company.

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Correct Certain Clerical Errors in, and to Amend, Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Inland Fisheries and Game.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. GERRISH of Greenville, was tabled pending passage to be enacted, and assigned for tomorrow.

An Act to Provide for the Care and Treatment of Tubercular Persons.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Installation of Steel Filing Cases in the Office of the State Treasurer.

Resolve Authorizing the State Highway Commission to Undertake the Defense of a Certain Suit at Law against the Town of Falmouth.

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bill passed to be enacted, Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Authorizing John G. Fleming to Bring a Suit at Law or in Equity against the State of Maine for a Balance Claimed to Be Due Him on a Highway Contract.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock,

Was tabled pending final passage, and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve in Favor of the Physician at the Maine State Prison.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PLERHAM of Woodstock,

Was tabled pending final passage, and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Construction of Certain Buildings at the University of Maine.

Resolve for the Purpose of Operating the Fish Hatcheries and Feeding Stations for Fish, for the Protection of Fish, Game and Birds, and for Printing the Report of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game.

Were reported from Committee on engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Were tabled pending final passage and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve Making an Appropriation for the Purpose of Obtaining Information in Regard to Wild Lands for the Purposes of Taxation.

Was reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolve finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Woman's College for Practical Instruction in Agriculture and Domestic Science.

Resolve to Provide for the Construction and Equipment of a Central School Building at the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Were tabled pending final passage, and assigned for tomorrow.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purchase of Additional Laundry Equipment for the Maine School for the Feeble Minded.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Fence the New Water supply at the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolves finally passed, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Constructing a Bridge across the Fore River between the Cities of Portland and South Portland.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purpose of Providing and Operating Patrol Boats to be Used in Enforcing the Laws Relating to Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Were tabled pending final passage, and tomorrow assigned.

Resolve in Favor of the Augusta State Hospital for Renovating the Second Male Wing of the Stone Building.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Resolve finally passed, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Wednesday.

C. C. HARVEY,

Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Gibson of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate.

Report of Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to the use of automobiles in the town of Mount Desert, Hancock County,"

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. SMALL of Mount Desert,

After report was accepted in concurrence, Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules, in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Michael Burns (House Document No. 58),

Which in the House March 30 was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules,

Returned from the Senate with the Majority report, "ought not to pass," read and accepted in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. GREELEY of Portland,

The Resolve was tabled pending concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Final Report of Committee on Railroads and Expresses, reporting that they had acted on all matters referred to them.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Conference on the disagreeing action of the two Branches of the Legislature on Resolve in favor of

the town of Pittsfield, reporting that the House recede and concur with the Senate on the passage of the Resolve.

(Signed) Messrs. William L. Walker,

A. B. Holt,

E. W. Murphy,

Committee on part of Senate.

A. W. Plummer

W. A. Ricker

George H. Brown

Committee on part of the House.

The report was accepted, and sent to the Senate.

The House receded and concurred with the Senate in the passage of this Resolve, on motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine, reconsidering the vote by which the Resolve was indefinitely postponed, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed in concurrence with the action of the Senate.

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of county commissioners" (Senate Document No. 146),

Which was passed to be engrossed in the House March 30 as amended by Senate Amendment "B,"

Was returned from the Senate, that body insisting on its action in passing the Bill to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendments "A" and "B," and asking for a Committee of Conference, the President of the Senate having appointed Messrs. Murphy, Walker and Butler, Senate members of that Committee.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland,

The House joined the Committee on Conference, the Speaker appointing Messrs. Roberts, Greenleaf and Haskell, all of Portland, House members of that Committee.

Mr. HIGGINS from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Ina E. Chadbourne.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer, accompanying Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve appropriating money to pay Irene D. Chase, Stenographer and Typist to the Clerk of the House.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. NICHOLAS of Eastport, accompanying Resolve was read twice, and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of P. H. Fitzgerald.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. BROWN of Auburn, accompanying Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of William C. Hanson, Clerk to the Committee on Labor.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. HASKELL of Portland, accompanying Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of William C. Hanson, for services as Clerk and Stenographer to the Committee on Salaries and Fees, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland, accompanying Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Reuel B. Soule for services as Clerk and Stenographer to the Committee on Banks and Banking, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. MCKINLEY of Jackson, accompanying Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. HOLT from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of

Edward S. Austin, Document Clerk, for preparing weekly printed index, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan, accompanying Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed, under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of the State House Employees.

The same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the Committee on Insane Hospitals.

Mr. MORSE from the Committee on Railroads and Expresses, on Bill "An Act to authorize the reorganization or consolidation of the railroad companies that constitute the Boston and Maine Railroad System," reported that it ought not to pass, as subject matter has been considered under another Bill.

The same gentleman from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to regulate the time for moving freight on railroads," reported that Bill is inexpedient as the matters involved may properly be considered by the Public Utilities Commission, and that it ought not to pass.

Mr. PIERCE from the Committee on Revision of the Statutes reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to the employment of clerks in the State Departments.

Report of the Committee on Ways and Bridges, on Resolve relating to the distribution of the proceeds of the issue of bonds for State highways, reported that this Resolve was introduced in the House on the 17th of March, but owing to an oversight it was not referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges by the Senate in concurrence until Friday, March 26th. By reason of the delay in referring the matter to your Committee there has not been sufficient time to give a public hearing. However, your Committee believes the subject matter of the Resolve is of great interest to the people of the State, and, after careful consideration and such investigation as its individual members have been able to make, is of the opinion that the

Resolve should have a passage, but owing to the fact that no opportunity for a public hearing has been given, your Committee, therefore, respectfully recommends that the Resolve be referred to the next session of the Legislature,

(Signed) Messrs. Conant, Burleigh, Colby, Perham, Polard, Durgain, Colcord, Besse, Cobb and Wilkins.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Majority report of the Committee on Judiciary reporting "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 47 of the Revised Statutes, relating to corporations;"

(Signed) Messrs. Sanborn, Durgin, Campbell, Butler and Conners.

Minority report of the same Committee on same Bill reporting "ought to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. Pierce, McCarty, Waterhouse and Cole.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland moved that the Majority report, "ought not to pass," be accepted.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved to reconsider the vote by which the Majority report was accepted.

Discussion ensued.

The motion to reconsider failed of a passage.

The reports were then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture in relation to the manufacture, transportation and sale of dairy products and their imitation," (House Document No. 960),

Was reported from Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and their report thereon accepted.

Mr. PETERSON of New Sweden moved indefinite postponement of the Bill.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. DRUMMOND of Winslow moved that the vote be taken, and the House so ordered. Mr. BRANN of Winthrop called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered, and the

vote to indefinitely postpone the Bill prevailed by a vote of 91 to 41.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Ames	Gould	Peterson
Ballard	Grant	Picher
Beal	Greaton	Pierce, Farm'gton
Benn	Greeley	Pierce, Houlton
Bernier	Greenlaw	Plummer
Besse	Hanson, Saco	Pollard
Bourque	Hanson, Sanford	Ranney
Brann	Hart	Robinson
Brown, Auburn	Haskell	Russell, Alfred
Brown, N'w Sh'r'n	Higgins	Ryder
Bussey	Hill	Sanborn
Carson	Hodgkins	Snow
Chadbourne	Jameson	Tabbutt
Chaplin	Lawrence	Tate
Chamberlin	Leader	Thombs
Clement	Lewis	Tobey
Coffin	Libby	Towle
Currier	Littlefield	Trafton
Daigle	Lombard	Turner
Danforth	Lord	Tuttle
Davis	Mansir	Ward
Dilling	McCorrison	Wasgatt
Drapeau	McNally	Washburn
Drummond	Meador	Waterhouse
Edwards	Michaud	Welch
Erskine	Mitchell	Wescott
Evans	Morse	Wilson
Fay	Mullin	Wise
Ford	Neilon	Woodman
Fossett	O'Connell	Wyman—91.
Gerrish		

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Bradbury	Colcord
Blake, New Glo'ster	Bragdon	Corliss
Blake, Oakland	Brawn	Descoteaux
Bonney	Cobb	Douglass

Durgain	Maxwell	Ricker
Dutton	McIntire	Roberts
Ellis	McKinley	St. Clair, Calais
Gilmour	Millett	St. Clair, Rockland
Gooding	Morrison	Small
Goodwin	Mulligan	Smith
Harper	Newell	Varney
Hobbs	Noyes	Watts
Holt, Gouldsboro	Peabbles	Wilkins—41.
Holt, Skowhegan	Perkins	

Those absent were: Messrs.

Allen	Goldthwait	Nicholas
Averill	Greenleaf	Perham
Campbell	Haraden	Russell, Lewiston
Clifford	Jordan	Thibodeau
Connellan	McCarty	Webb
Connors	McCurdy	Wheeler—19.
Gallagher		

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton asked and obtained suspension of rules to enable him to introduce a Bill out of order, and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act for the assessment of a State tax for the year 1915."

On motion of Mr. PIERCE, the Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston asked and obtained suspension of rules to enable him to introduce a Bill out of order, and introduced the following:

Bill "An Act relating to the assessment of the county taxes for 1915."

On motion of Mr. McCARTY, the Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act fixing the pay of the night watchman of public buildings,"

Came up for third reading.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon, the Bill was read the third time and passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Papers from the Senate.

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Lisbon to supply gas and electricity" (House Document No. 778),

Which was passed to be engrossed in the House March 30 as amended by House Amendment "A,"

Returned from the Senate read twice under suspension of rules and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A" and Senate Amendment "A."

Mr. SANBORN of South Portland moved that the House concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The Bill was tabled pending concurrence with action of Senate.

Resolve to authorize DeForest Keyes to bring a suit at law or in equity against the State of Maine for money claimed to be due him from the State (House Document No. 691),

Which was passed to be engrossed in the House March 30,

Returned from the Senate indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle,

The House voted to recede and concur with the Senate in indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Resolve to authorize Herbert L. Kimball to bring a suit at law or in equity against the State of Maine for money claimed to be due him from the State (House Document No. 690),

Which was passed to be engrossed in the House March 30,

Returned from the Senate indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle,
The House voted to recede and concur with the Senate in the indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the licensing of dogs" (Senate Document No. 400),

Which was indefinitely postponed in the House March 30 in non-concurrence,

Returned from the Senate, that body insisting on its action in passing the Bill to be engrossed, and calling for a Committee of Conference, with Messrs. Herrick, Bartlett and Allen named as Senate members of that Committee.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

The House acceded to the request for a conference, and the Speaker named Messrs. Benn of Hodgdon, Peterson of New Sweden and Washburn of Perry as House members of the Committee.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 4, 7 and 8 of Chapter 65 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the Department of Labor and Industry, and to further amend said Chapter by adding Section 12 thereto" (House Document No. 401),

Which was passed to be engrossed in the House yesterday in non-concurrence,

Returned from the Senate, that body insisting on its action in passing the Bill to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" and asking for a conference, with Messrs. Emery, Durgin and Cole named as Senate members of the Conference Committee.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston, the House acceded to the request for a conference, and the Speaker appointed Messrs. McCarty of Lewiston, Descoteaux of Biddeford and Wescott of Bluehill as House members of the Committee.

Report of Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature, on Bill "An Act directing the Insurance Commissioner to abrogate the license of foreign insurance companies under certain conditions" (House

Document No. 722), reporting same in a new draft accompanying this report.

(Signed) Messrs. Bartlett, Butler, Herrick,
Committee on part of Senate.
Messrs. Bonney, Blake, Smith,
Committee on part of House.

This report came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. BONNEY moved to accept the report of the Committee of Conference.

Mr. WARD of Augusta called for a division, which was had, and the motion to accept the report of the Conference Committee was lost by a vote of 32 to 61.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill was then indefinitely postponed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act for the temporary licensing of automobiles and motor vehicles" (House Document No. 885),

Which was tabled March 30 pending passage to be engrossed,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard,

Was reconsidered the vote by which Senate Amendment "A" was adopted. On further motion of same gentleman, the House voted to non-concur with the Senate in adopting Senate Amendment "A."

Mr. LOMBARD then offered House Amendment "A," which was adopted in non-concurrence, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A" in non-concurrence. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. GREELEY of Portland,

Resolve in favor of Michael Burns (House Document No. 58),

Which was tabled this day,

Was taken from the table.

Mr. PERKINS of Augusta moved that the House insist on its action by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed March 30, and called for a Committee of Conference.

A viva voce vote leaving the result in doubt, a division of the House was had, and the motion to insist and call for a Committee of Conference prevailed by a vote of 60 to 41.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Perkins of Augusta, Greeley of Portland and Sanborn of South Portland as House members of the Conference Committee.

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Lewiston" and to provide for a police commission" (House Document No. 945),

Which was tabled March 30 pending adoption of House Amendment "A,"

Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

The question being on the motion of Mr. CLIFFORD to adopt House Amendment "A," that gentleman asked for a division, which was had, and the motion to adopt House Amendment "A" prevailed by a vote of 89 to 21.

Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston offered House Amendment "B," which was adopted.

The same gentleman moved that the Bill be read the third time and passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendments "A" and "B," and the motion prevailed. The Bills was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The House voted to take a recess till 2.00 o'clock P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland, asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce an Order out of Order, and introduced the following:

ORDERED, The House concurring, that a Joint Special Committee, consisting of two on the part of the Senate and three on the part of the House, to serve after the adjournment of this Legislature, be appointed; that this Committee investigate the general subject of preservation, perpetuation and increase of the forests of Maine, as well as consider Bill "An Act for the preservation, perpetuation and increase of the

forests of the State of Maine" (Senate Document No. 99), and report to the next Legislature; and that this Committee serve without compensation or expense to the State.

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

The Speaker named as House members of this Joint Special Committee Messrs. Pierce of Houlton, Cobb of Denmark and Durgain of Bangor.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer asked and obtained suspension of rules to introduce two Resolves out of order, and introduced the following:

Resolve in favor of P. H. Fitzgerald for services as mail carrier to the House of Representatives;

Resolve in favor of Edward S. Austin for services as document clerk to the House of Representatives;

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS, these Resolves were each read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. They were then sent to the Senate.

An Act to Correct Certain Clerical Errors in, and to Amend Chapter Thirty-two, of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Inland Fisheries and Game,

Which was tabled March 30 pending passage to be enacted, Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved to reconsider the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. GERRISH of Greenville asked for a division, which was had, and the motion to reconsider the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed was lost by so large a vote that the Speaker declared no exact count necessary.

The question being on the passage of the Bill to be enacted, a division of the House was had, and the passage of the Bill to be enacted failed, the Bill being an emergency measure, and requiring at least 101 votes on the passage to be enacted, whereas it received only 79 votes.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland, was reconsidered the vote just taken.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill was tabled pending passage to be enacted.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taking of Fish in Certain Waters in Washington and Aroostook Counties,

Which was tabled March 30 pending passage to be enacted,
Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Section two of Chapter 297 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the Fort Kent Village Corporation,"

Which was tabled March 30 pending passage to be enacted,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was passed to be enacted. It was then signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Resolve for the Purpose of Providing and Operating Patrol Boats to be used in Enforcing the Laws Relating to Sea and Shore Fisheries,

Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. PIERCE then offered House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

By unanimous consent the matter of this Resolve was at this stage passed by temporarily.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

An Act to Correct Certain Clerical Errors in, and to Amend Chapter Thirty-Two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Inland Fisheries and Game,

Which was tabled this day pending passage to be enacted,
Was taken from the table.

The question being on the passage of the Bill to be enacted, a division was had,

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution of Maine, at least two thirds of all the members elected to the House was necessary for its passage to be enacted.

On a division, 110 voted for the enactment of the Bill, and none against the same. Hence the Bill was passed to be enacted as an emergency measure.

Mr. GALLAGHER of Bangor asked and obtained suspension of the rules to introduce an Order out of order, and introduced the following:

ORDERED, That Representative Frank Robinson of Bangor be excused from further attendance at this session, and that his pay and mileage be made up to the end of the session.

The Order received a passage.

Resolve in favor of the construction of a bridge between the cities of Portland and South Portland,

Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved indefinite postponement.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PIERCE asked for a division on the question, which was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Resolve was lost by a vote of 50 to 65.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

The Bill was then finally passed. It was then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve to Provide for the Construction and Equipment of
a Central School Building at the Maine Industrial School for
Girls at Hallowell,

Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,

Came up by assignment.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved indefinite postponement.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer called for the yeas and nays, which
the House ordered, and the motion to indefinitely postpone
the Resolve was lost by a vote of 64 to 67.

Those voting "yes" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Gerrish	Newell
Blake, New Glo'ster	Gilmour	Picher
Bourque	Gooding	Pierce Farm'gton
Brann	Greeley	Pierce, Houlton
Brawn	Greenleaf	Plummer
Brown, Auburn	Haraden	Pollard
Brown, New Sharon	Haskell	Robinson
Campbell	Hill	Small
Chadbourne	Hobbs	Tabbutt
Colcord	Hodgkins	Tate
Corliss	Holt, Skowhegan	Tafton
Currier	Jameson	Turner
Davis	Lewis	Wasgatt
Descoteaux	Libby	Watts
Douglass	Maxwell	Welch
Drapeau	McCorrison	Wheeler
Durgain	McCurdy	Wilkins
Edwards	McIntire	Wilson
Erskine	Michaud	Woodman
Evans	Millett	Wyman—64
Fossett	Mullin	
Gallagher	Neilon	

Those voting "no" were: Messrs.

Albert	Benn	Bradbury
Ames	Besse	Bragdon
Beal	Blake, Oakland	Bussey

Carson	Hart	Ricker
Chaplin	Higgins	Roberts
Chamberlin	Holt, Gouldsboro	Russell, Alfred
Clement	Littlefield	Ryder
Cobb	Lombard	St. Clair, Calais
Coffin	Lord	St. Clair, Rockland
Danforth	Mansir	Sanborn
Dilling	McKinley	Smith
Drummond	McNally	Snow
Dutton	Meador	Thombs
Ellis	Mitchell	Tobey
Fay	Morrison	Towle
Ford	Morse	Tuttle
Gould	Mulligan	Varney
Grant	Nicholas	Washburn
Greaton	O'Connell	Waterhouse
Greenlaw	Peabbles	Wescott
Hanson, Saco	Perham	Wise—67
Hanson, Sanford	Peterson	
Harper	Ranney	

Those absent were: Messrs.

Allen	Connors	McCarty
Averill	Goldthwait	Noyes
Bernier	Goodwin	Perkins
Bonney	Jordan	Russell, Lewiston
Clifford	Lawrence	Ward
Connellan	Leader	Webb—18

Paired: Messrs. Daigle, Thibodeau.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
The Resolve was finally passed.

Mr. SANBORN of South Portland asked and obtained suspension of rules to introduce an Order out of order, and introduced the following:

ORDERED, That Representative J. Frank Davis of Oldtown be excused from further attendance at this session, and that his pay and mileage be made up to the end of this session.

The Order received a passage.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland moved to reconsider the vote appropriating money to aid in the construction of a bridge between Portland and South Portland, but the motion was lost.

Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais moved to reconsider the vote by which was indefinitely postponed

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taking of Fish in Certain Waters in Washington and Aroostook Counties,

The motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Wesleyan Seminary and Woman's College for Practical Instruction in Agriculture and Domestic Science,

Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was finally passed. It was then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer moved to reconsider the vote passed this day appropriating money to aid in the construction of a building at the Maine Industrial School for Girls, but the motion was lost.

Resolve for the Purpose of Operating the Fish Hatcheries and Feeding Stations for Fish, for the Protection of Fish, Game and Birds, and for Printing the Report of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game,

Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. PIERCE offered House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PIERCE asked for a division, which was had, and the Amendment was lost by a vote of 53 to 61.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The Resolve was then passed to be engrossed, and, on further motion of same gentleman, it was finally passed. It was then signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Construction of Certain Buildings at the University of Maine,

Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. PIERCE offered House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

The question being on the adoption of House Amendment "A," Mr. PIERCE called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered, and House Amendment "A" was adopted by a vote of 99 to 31.

Those who voted "yes" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Durgain	Hobbs
Benn	Edwards	Hodgkins
Blake, New Gl'ster	Ellis	Holt, Skowhegan
Blake, Oakland	Erskine	Jameson
Bourque	Fay	Lawrence
Brann	Ford	Lewis
Brown, Auburn	Fossett	Littlefield
Brown, N'w Sh'r'n	Gerrish	Lombard
Bussey	Gilmour	Lord
Campbell	Gooding	Mansir
Chadbourne	Grant	Maxwell
Clement	Greaton	McCorrison
Colcord	Greeley	McCurdy
Connors	Greenlaw	McIntire
Corliss	Greenleaf	McKinley
Currier	Hanson, Saco	McNally
Descoteaux	Haraden	Meador
Dilling	Hart	Michaud
Douglass	Haskell	Millett
Drapeau	Higgins	Morrison
Drummond	Hill	Morse

Mulligan	Pollard	Ward
Mullin	Roberts	Wasgatt
Neilon	Robinson	Washburn
Newell	Russell, Alfred	Waterhouse
Nicholas	Small	Watts
O'Connell	Smith	Welch
Peabbles	Tabbutt	Wescott
Peterson	Tate	Wheeler
Picher	Towle	Wilkins
Pierce, Farm'gton	Trafton	Wilson
Pierce, Houlton	Turner	Wise
Plummer	Tuttle	Wyman—99.

Those voting "no" were: Messrs.

Albert	Evans	Ryder
Beal	Gallagher	St. Clair, Calais
Besse	Gould	St. Clair, Rockland
Bragdon	Hanson, Sanford	Sanborn
Brawn	Harper	Snow
Chaplin	Holt, Gouldsboro	Thombs
Chamberlin	Libby	Tobey
Cobb	Mitchell	Varney
Coffin	Perham	Woodman—31.
Danforth	Ranney	
Dutton	Ricker	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Allen	Clifford	McCarty
Ames	Connellan	Noyes
Averill	Davis	Perkins
Bernier	Goldthwait	Russell, Lewiston
Bonney	Goodwin	Webb—19.
Bradbury	Jordan	
Carson	Leader	

Paired: Messrs. Daigle, Thibodeau.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill as amended by House Amendment "A," was passed to be engrossed. It was then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in Favor of the Physician at the Maine State Prison,

Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve was passed
to be engrossed.

By unanimous consent this Resolve was temporarily passed
by.

Resolve Authorizing John G. Fleming to Bring a Suit at
Law or in Equity against the State of Maine for a Balance
Caimed to Be Due Him on a Highway Contract,

Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. HILL of Corinth moved indefinite postponement.

Mr. LIBBY of Merrill moved that the vote be now taken,
and the House so ordered, but a viva voce vote left the result
in doubt.

Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock asked for a division, which
was had, and the motion for indefinite postponement was lost
by a majority so large that the Speaker declared an exact count
unnecessary.

The Resolve was then finally passed, signed by the Speaker,
and sent to the Senate.

Mr. GALLAGHER of Bangor asked and obtained suspen-
sion of the rules to present an Order out of order, and pre-
sented the folowing:

ORDERED, That Representative Fortunat Michaud of
Van Buren be excused from further attendance at this session,
and that his pay and mileage be made up to the end of the
session.

The Order received a passage.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter One Hundred
Fourteen of the Revised Statutes of Nineteen Hundred Three,
Relating to Arrests and Disclosures on Leaving the State,

Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard moved indefinite postponement.

Mr. HILL of Corinth asked for a division, which was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Bill prevailed by a vote of 77 to 13.

Resolve in Favor of the Physician at the Maine State Prison,
Which was passed over temporarily this day,

Was again taken under consideration by unanimous consent.

Mr. FOSSETT of Portland moved to table the Resolve, assigning tomorrow for its consideration, but the motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

Mr. FOSSETT offered House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The Resolve was tabled pending adoption of House Amendment "A."

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-four of Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Appointment of Cruelty Agents,

Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. GREENLEAF offered House Amendment "A," and it was adopted, and, on motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be enacted as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard moved to reconsider the vote indefinitely postponing An Act relating to arrests and disclosures on leaving the State, but the motion was lost.

An Act Relating to the Appointment of Harbor Masters for the Harbor of Portland,

Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland,
The Bill was passed to be enacted. It was then signed by
the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act Creating the Southern Maine Forest District, and
Providing for Protection against Fires Therein,
Which was tabled March 30 pending final passage,
Came up by assignment.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved indefinite postponement,
and the Act was accordingly indefinitely postponed. It was
then sent to the Senate.

An Act Relating to the Assessment of the County Taxes in
the Several Counties for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fifteen,
Came up on its passage to be enacted.

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution of
Maine in order for its passage to be enacted it must receive
an affirmative vote of at least two thirds of all the members
elected to the House.

A division was had on the passage of the Bill to be enacted,
and there were 122 votes in favor of enacting the Bill and none
against the same. Hence the Bill was finally enacted as an
emergency measure. It was then signed by the Speaker and
sent to the Senate.

An Act for the Assessment of a State Tax for the Year One
Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifteen,

Came up on its passage to be enacted.

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution
of the State a vote of at least two thirds of all the members
elected to the House was necessary to pass it to be enacted.

A division of the House was had on the question of the
final enactment of the Bill, and 120 voted for its final enact-
ment, and none against the same. Hence the Bill was passed
to be enacted as an emergency measure. It was then signed by
the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

Resolve in Favor of the Physician at the Maine State Prison,
Which was tabled this day pending the adoption of House
Amendment "A,"

Was taken from the table.

On further motion of same gentleman, House Amendment "A" was adopted, and, on still further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." The Resolve was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to grant a new charter to the city of Bangor, Penobscot County, State of Maine, repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith" (House Document No. 920),

Which had been passed in the House to be engrossed,

Returned from the Senate amended by Senate Amendment "B" in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed, and on further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "B" was adopted in concurrence. On still further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "B" in concurrence. It was then signed by the Speaker and returned to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purpose of Providing and Operating Patrol Boats to be Used in Enforcing the Laws Relating to Sea and Shore Fisheries,

Which was this day temporarily passed by,

Was taken under consideration again by unanimous consent.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton offered House Amendment "A," which was adopted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A." It was then sent to the Senate.

The Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on An Act to promote the industry of horse breeding in Maine and provide for the registration of stallions, reporting that they were unable to agree, Messrs. Walker, Conant, Moulton and Peterson favoring the Act and Messrs. Plummer and Pollard being against it.

(Signed) Messrs. Conant,

Walker,

Moulton,

Committee on part of Senate.

Messrs. Plummer,
Pollard,
Peterson,

Committee on part of House.

This report came from the Senate accepted, and by the House was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,
The House voted to adhere.

Majority report of Committee on Judiciary, on Bill "An Act to establish the State of Maine Immigration and Publicity Commission," reporting that same ought to pass.

(Signed) Messrs. Cole, Durgin, Sanborn, Campbell, Waterhouse.

Minority report of same Committee on same Bill, reporting that same ought not to pass.

(Signed) Messrs. McCarty, Pierce, Connors, Butler.

These reports came from the Senate with the Majority report accepted, and accompanying Bill read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved that the House non-concur with the Senate in the acceptance of the Majority report. The House so non-concurred.

On motion of same gentleman, the Minority report, "ought not to pass," was then accepted, in non-concurrence.

The reports were then returned to the Senate.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reporting "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of Grace M. Frost for services as stenographer and typist to the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading,

Came from the Senate read and accepted, and by the House was read and accepted in concurrence.

Bill "An Act increasing the amount of exemption from taxation on musical instruments,"

This Bill was passed to be engrossed in the House March 30, having been substituted for the Committee report, "ought not to pass." It returned from the Senate with the report of Committee accepted in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle,

The House voted to recede and concur with the Senate in acceptance of the report.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 13 and 14 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to road commissioners" (House Document No. 924).

The Minority report, "ought to pass," had been accepted in the House March 24.

In the Senate March 31, the Majority report, "ought not to pass," was accepted in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. HANSON of Sanford,

The House voted to recede and concur with the Senate in accepting the Majority report.

Report of Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries on Bill "An Act to amend Section 44 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the taking of smelts," reporting "ought not to pass,"

Was accepted in concurrence.

Resolve to amend Article 22 of the Constitution, as amended, relating to the limit of municipal indebtedness of cities (Senate Document No. 269).

In the House Resolve had been engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A."

In the Senate the Resolve was indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. DRUMMOND of Winslow,

The House receded and concurred with the Senate in indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 330 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relating to the salary of the Recorder of the Bath Municipal Court."

In the House this Bill had been passed to be engrossed.

In the Senate the Bill was indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle,

The House receded and concurred with the Senate in the indefinite postponement of the Bill.

Bill "An Act to provide for the destruction of dog fish and

other members of the shark species in the waters of Maine" (House Document No. 198),

Which had been passed to be engrossed in the House March 30,

Came from the Senate indefinitely postponed in noncurrence.

On motion of Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle,

The House receded and concurred with the Senate in the indefinite postponement of the Bill.

The Committee on Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 195 of the Public Laws of 1911, providing that the Live Stock Sanitary Commissioner shall be a veterinary surgeon, reporting that Senators Conant, Bartlett and Moulton stood by the Minority report, while Messrs. McIntire, Perham and Smith opposed the same.

(Signed) Messrs. Moulton,

Conant,

Bartlett,

Committee on part of Senate.

Messrs. McIntire,

Perham,

Smith,

Committee on part of House.

The report came from the Senate accepted, and by the House was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. McINTIRE of Waterford, the House voted to adhere.

Bill "An Act to determine the amount to be paid for clerk hire in the several counties,"

Which was passed to be engrossed in the House March 30,

Came from the Senate passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendments "A" and "B."

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

Was reconsidered, under suspension of rules, the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

On further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A," was adopted in concurrence, and, on further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "B" was adopted in concurrence.

On still further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendments "A" and "B" in concurrence.

Mr. PERKINS of Augusta asked and obtained suspension of rules to present a Bill, and presented the following Bill out of order:

Bill "An Act for the assessment of a State tax for the year 1916."

On motion of Mr. PERKINS, the Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Communication from the Secretary of State transmitting the Seventy-Fourth Annual Report of Augusta State Hospital and Fourteenth Annual Report of Bangor State Hospital for the year ending November 30, 1914,

Came from the Senate placed on file, and by the House was placed on file in concurrence.

An Act Relative to the Hours of Labor of Employees of Street Railway Companies,

Which was passed to be engrossed in the House March 24 as amended by House Amendment "A,"

Returned from the Senate with non-current action taken.

On motion of Mr. WESCOTT of Bluehill,

The House voted to insist, and asked for a Committee of Conference. The Speaker appointed Messrs. Wescott of Bluehill, Sanborn of South Portland, and Nicholas of Eastport House members of the Committee of Conference.

An Act Additional to Chapter Eighty-four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Pleadings in Actions at Law on Insurance Policies,

Which was passed to be engrossed in the House March 24,

Returned from the Senate passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be enacted, also on motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed. On further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and, on still further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

ORDERED, That Representative Clarence Goldthwait of Biddeford be excused from further attendance at this session and that his pay and mileage be made up to the end of the session.

The Order received a passage.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Treasurer of Kennebec County," reporting same "ought not to pass," subject matter covered by another bill.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Deputy Forest Commissioner," reporting same "ought not to pass," subject matter covered by another bill.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act to provide additional compensation for clerk hire for the clerk of Courts of Somerset County," reporting same "ought not to pass," subject matter covered by another bill.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act to provide for clerk hire in the office of Register of Probate for Kennebec County," reporting same "ought not to pass," subject matter covered by another bill.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act to fix the amount of clerk hire in the office of Register of Deeds for Kennebec County," reporting same "ought not to pass," subject matter covered by another bill.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act to amend paragraph 5 of section 1 of Chapter 116 of the Re-

vised Statutes, relating to the expense of the Judge of the Kennebec Superior Court," reporting same "ought not to pass," subject matter covered by another bill.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the Judge of Probate for County of Kennebec," reporting same "ought not to pass," subject matter covered by another bill.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act providing for additional Clerk Hire for the Clerk of Courts Office in Kennebec County," reporting same "ought not to pass," subject matter covered by another bill.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act relating to the Clerk Hire of the Clerk of Courts for York County," reporting same "ought not to pass," subject matter having been covered by another bill.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Fees, on Bill "An Act providing temporary clerk hire for the Register of Probate in Cumberland County," reporting same "ought not to pass," subject matter covered by another bill.

Report of Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries on Bill "An Act to Amend Section 44 of Chapter 41 of the R. S., relating to the Taking of Smelts," reporting same "ought not to pass," subject matter covered by another bill.

Final Report of Committee on Salaries and Fees, reporting "that they have acted on all matters referred to them."

Mr. SANBORN from the Committee on Salaries and Fees, reported on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter One Hundred and Fifty one of the Public Laws, entitled "An Act relating to the compensation of Register of Deeds," that same "ought not to pass," subject matter having been covered by another bill.

Same gentleman from same committee reported on Bill "An Act relating to the compensation of Clerks of Courts," that same "ought not to pass," subject matter having been covered by another bill.

Same gentleman from same committee, on Bill "An Act to

provide for clerk hire for the Register of Deeds in Oxford County," reported same.

Same gentleman from same committee, on Bill "An Act relative to the compensation of Clerks of Courts of Cumberland County," reported same.

Same gentleman from same committee, on Bill "An Act to fix the salary of the clerk of the Municipal court of the City of Auburn," reported same.

Same gentleman from same committee, on Bill "An Act to amend paragraph 15, Section 1, Chapter 173 of the Public Laws of 1905, relative to the Salary of Register of Deeds of Waldo County," reported same.

The reports were accepted, and sent to the Senate.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve "in favor of Donald C. Gates for services as messenger to the Committee on Towns."

Same Committee reporting same on Resolve "to pay Winifred M. Bearce, stenographer to Secretary of the Senate."

Same Committee reporting same on Resolve "in favor of Neil S. Gray, clerk to Committee on Towns."

Same Committee reporting same on Resolve "in favor of shorthand reporter to committee on Railroads and Expresses."

Same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of Niles L. Perkins, secretary to Committee on Insane Hospitals.

Same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of Neil L. Violette, clerk to Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of Claude W. Townsend, Jr., Messenger to Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of clerk, stenographer and messenger to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of Josephine I. Cony.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, reporting "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Louis Garcelon, clerk to Committee on School for Feeble-Minded.

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of clerk and stenographer to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Charles R. Kingsbury for services as clerk, messenger and stenographer to the Committee on Indian Affairs, reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Same Committee on Resolve in favor of the clerk, stenographer and messenger to the Judiciary Committee for services rendered, reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Same Committee on Resolve in favor of H. P. Hawes and Constance A. Gage, clerk and stenographer to the committee on Ways and Bridges, reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Same Committee on Resolve in favor of Charles R. Kingsbury for services as clerk, messenger and stenographer to the Committee on Interior Waters, reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Same Committee on Resolve in favor of George T. Hinchliffe for services as clerk, stenographer and typewriter to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries, reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and, on motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer, the accompanying resolves were read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. They were then sent to the Senate.

Same Committee on Resolve in favor of the clerk and messenger to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses, reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Mr. HARADEN of Bath moved that the original resolve be substituted for the new draft.

The motion was lost on a viva voce vote.

Same Committee on Resolve in favor of H. P. Hawes, for services as clerk of the Committee on Insane Hospitals, reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that same ought to pass.

Same Committee on Resolve in favor of Brooks Newbert for services as clerk, messenger and stenographer to the Committee on Taxation, reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Same Committee on Resolve in favor of Louis Garcelon for services rendered as Clerk of Committee on Agriculture, reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

Same Committee on Resolve in favor of Charles F. Barnes for services as messenger to the Committee on the Revision of the Statutes, reporting same in new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and, on motion of Mr. MCINTIRE of Waterford, the accompanying Resolves were read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. They were then sent to the Senate.

Final Report of Committee on Commerce, "that they have acted on all matters referred to them."

Final Report of Committee on Library, reporting "that they have acted on all matters referred to them."

Final Report of Committee on Public Health, reporting "that they have acted on all matters referred to them."

The reports were accepted, and sent to the Senate.

An Act Authorizing the Clark Power Company to Construct a Dam across the Saco River between the towns of Buxton and Dayton.

An Act Additional to, and to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter

Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Kennebago Lake, Little Kennebago Lake and the Outlets of Said Lakes.

An Act to Amend Section Fifteen of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section Two of Chapter Forty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five and Chapter One Hundred Twenty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, in Relation to the Accounting for an Expenditure of School Funds.

An Act Relative to Compensation to Employees for Personal Injuries Received in the Course of Their Employment and to the Prevention of Such Injuries.

An Act to Provide for the Binding of Original Papers Filed in Probate Courts.

An Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Transcripts of Examinations or Testimony Taken in the Probate Courts.

An Act to Provide for the Record in the Register of Deeds of Notices Waiving Testamentary Provisions for Husband or Wife.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter Twenty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relative to the Employment of Clerks by the Bank Commissioner.

An Act to Create a Commission to Act in Conjunction with the State Armory Commission.

An Act to Amend Section Thirteen of Chapter Sixty-seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Return of Commissioners of Partition Appointed by Probate Courts.

An Act to Amend Chapter Thirty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Weekly Payment of Wages.

An Act Authorizing the Mousam Water Company to In-

crease Its Capital Stock and to Contract with the City of Biddeford for Hydrant Service.

An Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Seventy-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Notices upon Petitions for Sale of Real Estate.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-five of Chapter One Hundred One of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Authority of Bail Commissioners.

An Act to Amend Section Seven of Chapter Sixty-six of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Proofs of Wills.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter One Hundred Thirty-three of the Revised Statutes, Authorizing Clerks of Courts to Administer Oaths Required by Law.

An Act to Confer Jurisdiction in Equity Upon the Probate Courts.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-two of Chapter Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Petitions for Adoption of Children by Non-residents.

An Act Providing for Publicity Respecting the Membership of Mercantile Partnerships, and for Identification of Individual Merchants in Certain Cases.

An Act Relating to the Scaling of Round Timber and the Marking of the Contents on Same.

An Act to Repeal the Last Clause of Section Nine and All of Section Twenty-three of Chapter Sixteen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Assessment of Taxes by Parishes.

An Act to Repeal Section Forty-two of Chapter Sixty-one of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Authority of the Mother to Bind Illegitimate Children.

An Act Relating to the Appointment of Appraisers by the Probate Courts.

An Act Relating to the Verification of Certificates of Organization of Corporations.

An Act to Provide for the Destruction of Dog Fish and Other Members of the Shark Species.

An Act to Provide for a Reorganization or Consolidation of the Railroad Companies Constituting the Boston and Maine Railroad System.

An Act to Amend Section Seventy-two of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Sixty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to Towns.

An Act to Amend Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in a Portion of Cupsuptic Stream, in Oxford County.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. SANBORN of South Portland moved to reconsider the vote by which the foregoing Bills were passed to be enacted, but the motion was lost.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved to reconsider the indefinite postponement of

An Act Creating the Southern Maine Forest District, and Providing for Protection Against Fires Therein.

The motion was lost.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, moved to reconsider the action of the House in accepting the Minority report, "ought not to pass," on

Bill "An Act to establish the State of Maine Immigration and Publicity Commission."

The motion was lost.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Thursday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingston of Hallowell.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Mr. NICHOLAS from Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought to pass" on Resolve in favor of Jennie M. Lyons, stenographer to the Committee on Labor.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. DOUGLASS of Webster, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of appropriating money to pay for proof-reading and indexing the House Journal.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. GREENLAW of Presque Isle, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Fortunat O. Michaud, Secretary of the Committee on Public Health.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. COBB of Denmark, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Lena R. Pierce.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of Ina E. Chadbourne.

The Report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. CHAM-

BERLIN of Lebanon, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of clerk, stenographer and messenger of Legal Affairs Committee.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. GREEN-LEAF of Portland, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

Mr. HIGGINS from same Committee, on Resolve in favor of Raymond C. Frank, for services as clerk to the Committee on Library, reported same in a new draft, under same title, and that it ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. BONNEY of Bowdoinham, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

Mr. CONNERS from the Committee on Judiciary reported "ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 47 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to liens on land."

The report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. HANSON of Sanford,

The Bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. PIERCE from same Committee reported "ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to amend Section 37 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Maine, relating to casting vote."

Mr. MICHAUD from the Committee on Public Health, on Resolve in aid of the Maine Anti-Tuberculosis Association, for educational and organization purposes, reported that the same ought not to pass.

Same gentleman from same Committee, on Bill "An Act to provide for the care and treatment of tubercular patients," reported that the same ought not to pass, as the subject matter is covered by another Bill.

Mr. GOLDTHWAIT from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries, on Bill "An Act to prohibit the taking of lobsters in the waters of the town of Cutler, in the County of Wash-

ington, between the fifteenth day of June and the fifteenth day of September of each year," reported that same is covered by a Bill previously reported.

Same gentleman from same Committee, on Petition of Guy H. Carver and 34 others of Jonesport, asking that the Green-leaf Dog Fish Bill be passed, reported that said Bill is already reported.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Final Report of Committee on Claims reporting that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on Counties reporting that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on Judiciary reporting that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on Manufactures reporting that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on Mines and Mining reporting that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls reporting that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on Telegraphs and Telephones reporting that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

Final Report of Committee on Ways and Bridges reporting that they have acted on all matters referred to them.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

An Act to Amend Section Twenty-one of Chapter One Hundred and Sixty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Eleven, Relating to the Salaries of Judge and Recorder of the Piscataquis Municipal Court.

An Act to Fix the Salaries of the Agents of the Tribes of the Passamaquoddy and Penobscot Indians.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly

and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Divide the Town of Kennebunkport and Incorporate the Town of North Kennebunkport.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,
The Bill was tabled.

An Act to Amend Sections Fifty-six and Fifty-seven of Chapter Forty-seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Rights of Minority Stockholders.

An Act to Amend Chapter Eighteen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to State Board of Health.

An Act to Confer Additional Rights and Powers upon the East Branch Improvement Company, a Corporation Incorporated by a Special Act of the Legislature, Approved March Eighteenth, Nineteen Hundred Three.

An Act for the Protection of Life and Property against Loss or Damage from Steam Boilers or Steam Machinery Operated by Incompetent Persons in Cities of over Thirty-five Thousand Inhabitants.

An Act to Amend Sections Two and Eight of Chapter One Hundred Ninety-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Extirpation of Contagious Diseases among Cattle, Horses, Sheep and Swine.

An Act to Amend Section Fourteen of Chapter One Hundred Thirty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Method of Settling Damages Caused by Opening, Altering, Widening or Changing the Grade of State or State Aid Highways.

An Act to Amend Section Seventeen of Chapter Seventy-one of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-one Incorporating the City of Old Town.

An Act Authorizing the Secretary of State to Prepare and Publish Lists of Corporations Delinquent in Payment of Their Franchise Taxes.

An Act to Amend Section Twenty-seven of Chapter Eighty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Record of Attachment of Bulky Personal Property.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-six of Chapter One Hundred and One of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Forty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seven in Relation to Bail Commissioners.

An Act Directing the Governor and Council to Submit to Each Legislature the Approximate Amount of Money Necessary to Defray the Expenses of the Public Service.

An Act to Incorporate the Oquossoc Light and Power Company.

An Act to Amend Section Eighteen of Chapter Sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Judges of Probate.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Twenty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as amended by Chapter Ten of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, in Relation to Reports of Hearings in Vacation in Law or Equity.

An Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter One Hundred and Eighty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Eleven, Relating to the Expiration and Renewal of Licenses Issued by the Board of Examiners to Undertakers and Embalmers.

An Act to Repeal Section Twenty-six of Chapter One Hundred and Forty-four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Discharge of Inmates of the Insane Hospitals by Municipal Officers.

An Act to Fix the Salary of the Governor.

An Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Fifty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Issuance by the Board of Dental Examiners of Certificates to Practitioners from Other States.

An Act to Amend Chapter Seven of the Revised Statutes,

Authorizing the Land Agent to Lease Camp Sites on Lands Belonging to the State, and to Repeal Obsolete Portions of Said Chapter.

An Act to Create a State Fund to be Known as the State Contingent Fund.

An Act Relating to Procedure in the Supreme Judicial and Superior Courts.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Violette Brook, in Van Buren, in the County of Aroostook, above Hammond's Mill.

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Great Brook and in Dixon Brook, in York County.

An Act to Incorporate the Maine Indemnity Company.

An Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred and Thirty-five of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Seventy-five, Entitled, "An Act to Establish a Municipal Court in the City of Auburn," as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Eighty-six of the Private and Special Laws of the Same Year, Chapter Fifty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Eighty-one, and Chapter One Hundred and Fifty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-one, Chapter Sixty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-five, and Chapter Two Hundred and Twenty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Three.

An Act to Authorize the Norway and Paris Street Railway to Purchase or Lease the Property and Franchises of the Mechanic Falls Electric Light Company.

An Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-four of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Entitled, "An Act to Incorporate the Hiram

Water, Light and Power Company," and also to Extend and Enlarge the Rights, Powers and Privileges of Said Company.

Resolve in Favor of Altering and Enlarging the State Prison at Thomaston,

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a State Road from Jackman in Somerset County, to Rockwood, in Moosehead Lake.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

Bill "An Act to authorize the town of Lisbon to supply gas and electricity"

Was taken from the table.

Mr. PLUMMER offered House Amendment "A" to Senate Amendment "A," and it was adopted.

On motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" as amended by House Amendment "A" was adopted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill as amended was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HANSON of Sanford,

ORDERED, That James J. Neilon of Biddeford be excused from further attendance at this session, and that his pay and mileage be made in full to the end of the session.

Report of Committee on Public Health on Bill "An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 129 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the sale of cigarettes" (Senate Document No. 116), reporting that same ought not to pass, the original paper having been lost by the Committee.

The report was accepted, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. WASGATT of Deer Isle,

Was reconsidered the vote by which was indefinitely postponed in concurrence

Bill "An Act to provide for the destruction of dog fish and

other members of the shark species in the waters of Maine'' (House Document No. 198).

The vote on Mr. WASGATT'S motion was taken by a division of the House, 64 voting in favor of the motion and none against it.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

The House voted to insist and asked for a Committee of Conference.

The Speaker appointed as House members of the Conference Committee Messrs. Greenleaf of Portland, Small of Mount Desert and Nicholas of Eastport.

Report of Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

An Act to Establish the Offices of Superintendent and Matron of the Portland City Home, and to Determine the Tenure of Office of Same (House Document No. 734),

Reporting that the Committee were unable to agree.

(Signed) Messrs. Cole,

Swift,

Durgin,

Committee on part of Senate

Messrs. Roberts,

Fossett,

Greenleaf,

Committee on part of House

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

The House voted to adhere.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs on Resolve in favor of Ina E. Chadbourne, reporting that it ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. LORD of Ellsworth, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of Fred S. Rand.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. SMITH

of Hampden, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve in favor of Orin B. Frost.

The report was accepted, and, on motion of Mr. MEADER of Chelsea, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer: Mr. Speaker and gentlemen of the House, we are now in the closing days and hours of the 77th Legislature. Three months ago we met in this hall for the purpose of organization. One hundred and thirty-five of our number were new members, leaving only 16 who had had previous legislative experience. When we came here we did not agree politically, and we were inclined to look upon the fellow in the other party as an enemy, as a common enemy. As the days went on that feeling melted away, and in a few days it was impossible to tell the political faith of any member of the House; we were here for one common purpose from that time forth, and that purpose was to legislate to the very best of our ability for the good of the grand old State of Maine. We have endeavored to live up to the oaths which we took at the beginning of this session; we may have differed in some respects. It would be impossible for a body of this size to agree on every proposition submitted to it, and I think it is right that it should be thus. We have formed friendships here that will last until time shall be no more.

And I want to say, Mr. Speaker, and gentlemen of the House, I believe this is the first time when the two branches of this Legislature were of a different political faith; and I further want to say that I believe there never was a session of this Legislature when so little ill will and ill feeling was manifested as there has been during the present session. This in itself, gentlemen, speaks volumes for the character and for the stability of the men whom the people of this commonwealth have sent here to act as their servants in the formation of the

laws of this State. Illness has caused only one of our members to be taken from us, and that is the gentleman from Baileyville, Mr. Jordan, whose illness we sincerely regret, and we hope for his early recovery; and in behalf of the gentlemen of this House, your committee selected a few days ago have sent to him this morning with the compliments and best wishes of the House of Representatives of the 77th Legislature a basket of flowers.

At the organization of this House it was my high privilege to conduct to the Chair a man who had received the highest honor which could be given by this body, a gentleman who was known to many of us and who has since become known to us all as a gentleman of the highest integrity, a man of eminent ability, a man of absolute fairness to all parties; and while at home all these characteristics were known of him, it is now known throughout the State that he is a man possessed of these qualifications; and Mr. Speaker, in behalf of your fellow members, it gives me great pleasure to present to you this token of our affection and regard; it is all gold, the purest and finest of anything on earth. We ask you to accept it, not on account of its intrinsic value, but on account of the love and esteem which we bear toward you; and as you gaze upon its face and watch the hours and minutes go, may your memories and reflections upon the 77th Legislature be the kindest and the most pleasant memories of your life. (Long and continued applause.)

(Mr. Higgins then presented the Speaker with a gold watch.)

The SPEAKER: Mr. Higgins and gentlemen of the House, what can I say to you in answer to these sentiments which have been presented here this morning, and for this beautiful gift which you have now laid upon my desk? It is truly to me an occasion of embarrassment, although pleasant. It is indeed pleasant to be remembered in this way by my fellow members of this House. It is indeed pleasing and pleasant to me to hear these kind words spoken; and, gentlemen, from the bottom of my heart I wish to thank you for this token of your esteem and for these expressions of your kind judgment upon me.

As has been truly said, when we came here at the beginning of this session we were to a great extent strangers; we knew

one another only by reputation, and in the case of many of us we had no previous acquaintance with the other members of this House. We have sat here during these weeks of this busy session of the 77th Legislature and we have become, I know, friends. This has been to me a pleasant and an agreeable task to preside over the deliberations of your body. I accepted this high honor with feelings of the greatest apprehension and many misgivings. I knew, as I stated to you at the beginning of this session, that I did not feel myself qualified by experience or in any way to preside over the deliberations of this body; and, gentlemen, I now feel that it is only by your great kindness, your great consideration toward me and toward one another in the deliberations of this session, that any degree of success has been attained.

I wish to congratulate the members of the House for the work which has been accomplished here this winter. I believe that when the history of this session is made up, notwithstanding some things that may have been said in regard to this session of the Legislature—I believe that when the history of this session is made up it will be found that we have been a working body; that we have accomplished results; that we have passed measures of constructive legislation, legislation which I firmly believe will redound to the benefit and to the honor of our good old State of Maine; and I know, gentlemen, that you all had that in view in the actions that you have taken here this winter. We are men of various parties, men of varying and diverse opinions, men of different personalities, but we have come here and consulted together for the common good of our State; and, gentlemen, I believe that on the whole we have consulted and acted well.

Gentlemen, again I thank you most sincerely for this token of your personal esteem and friendship to me. I shall always remember the hours and the days spent here this winter, and it will be to me a lasting pleasure and a gratification to have and keep this beautiful memento which you have now presented to me. I thank you, gentlemen. (Long and continued applause.)

Report "A" of Committee on Judiciary on Order for investigation of railroads by Special Joint Committee of the Legis-

lature, reporting same in new draft, under same title, with the accompanying Resolve.

(Signed) Messrs. Cole, Waterhouse, Campbell, Durgin.

Report "B" of same Committee on same Order, reporting "ought not to pass."

(Signed) Messrs. Pierce, Conners, Butler, McCarty.

Mr. SMITH of Hampden moved acceptance of Report "A," and asked for the yeas and nays.

Report "A" was accepted on a viva voce vote.

Mr. SMITH moved to amend the new draft of Resolve reported by the Committee by House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

On motion of Mr. SMITH, the Order was tabled temporarily.

Report of Committee of Conference on disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on House Amendment "A" to House Document No. 640, "An Act to amend Section 47 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the use of motor boats in hunting sea birds, duck or water fowl,"

Reporting a Bill, which was therewith submitted, entitled "An Act to amend Section 47 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the use of motor boats in hunting sea birds, duck and water fowl," and that it ought to pass.

(Signed) Messrs. Colby, Cole, Allen,

On part of Senate.

Messrs. Wheeler, Gerrish, Wyman,

On part of House.

On motion of Mr. GERRISH of Greenville,

The report was accepted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was received. On still further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve to authorize John G. Fleming to bring suit at law or equity against the State of Maine for a balance claimed to

be due him on a highway contract (House Document No. 881),
Which was finally passed in the House March 31,
Returned from the Senate indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln, the House insisted and called for a conference.

The Speaker appointed as House members of the Committee on Conference, Messrs. Thombs of Lincoln, Pierce of Houlton and Sanborn of South Portland.

Resolve appropriating money to aid in constructing a bridge across the Fore River between the cities of Portland and South Portland (House Document No. 708),

Which in the House was finally passed March 31,

Returned from the Senate passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

The rules were suspended, and was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve was finally passed.

On motion of Mr. WILKINS of Jay,

The House receded and concurred with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Amendment "A" in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF, the Resolve was passed to be engrossed, as amended, in concurrence.

An Act additional to Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to the taking of fish in certain waters in Washington and Aroostook Counties,

Which in the House March 31 was indefinitely postponed,

Returned from the Senate, that body insisting and calling for a conference, with Messrs. Allen, Herrick and Colby appointed as Senate members of the Conference Committee.

The House voted to accede to the request for a conference and the Speaker appointed as House members of the Conference Committee, Messrs. St. Clair of Calais, Benn of Hodgdon and Washburn of Perry.

An Act Creating the Southern Maine Forest District, and Providing for Protection against Fires Therein,

Which in the House March 31 was indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence,

Returned from the Senate, that body insisting and calling for a conference, with Messrs. Colby, Durgin and Scammon as Senate members of the Conference Committee.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved that the House adhere to its action in indefinitely postponing the Bill, but subsequently withdrew his motion.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The House acceded to the request for a conference. The Speaker appointed Messrs. Haskell of Portland, Gallagher of Bangor and Greeley of Portland House members of the Conference Committee.

Resolve in Favor of the Physician at the Maine State Prison,

Which in the House March 31 was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A,"

Returned from the Senate, that body insisting on its action of March 27 in passing the original Resolve to be engrossed, and calling for a Committee of Conference, with Messrs. Allen, Chatto and Fulton named as the Senate members of that Committee.

Mr. RICKER of Castine moved that the House recede and concur with the Senate.

A viva voce vote leaving the matter in doubt, a division was had, and the motion prevailed by a vote of 59 to 29.

On motion of Mr. FOSSETT of Portland,

Was reconsidered the vote by which Resolve was passed to be engrossed as amended. On further motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the vote adopting House Amendment "A," and, on still further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve without amendment was passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

The Chair ruled pro forma that the Resolve need not necessarily be engrossed again, and declared the Resolve now ready for final passage.

Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon moved to indefinitely postpone the Resolve, but subsequently withdrew his motion.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. PIERCE offered House Amendment "A," which was adopted, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Resolve was passed to be engrossed as amended. It was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Construction of Certain Buildings at the University of Maine,

Which in the House March 31 was finally passed as amended.

Returned from the Senate, that body insisting on its action in passing the Resolve to be engrossed without amendment, asking for a conference, with Messrs. Walker, Ames and Murphy named as Senate members of the Conference Committee.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton, the House acceded to the request for a conference. The Speaker appointed Messrs. McIntire of Waterford, Higgins of Brewer and Perham of Woodstock House members of the Conference Committee.

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Lewiston and to provide for a police commission" (House Document No. 945),

Which was passed to be engrossed in the House March 31, as amended.

Returned from the Senate indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence, and with the reconsideration of the vote to indefinitely postpone the Bill refused.

Mr. GREELEY of Portland moved that the House recede and concur with the Senate.

On motion of Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard,

The Bill was tabled till the afternoon session pending concurrence with Senate.

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture in relation to the manufacture, transportation and sale of dairy products and their imitation" (House Document No. 960),

Which in the House was indefinitely postponed March 31,

Returned from the Senate passed to be engrossed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PETERSON of New Sweden,

The House voted to insist and call for a conference. The Speaker appointed Messrs. Peterson of New Sweden, Brawn of Bradley and McIntire of Waterford the House members of the Conference Committee.

An Act Relative to the Granting of Licenses for Certain Businesses and Purposes by the Municipal Officers of the City of Portland, (House Document No. 735),

Which was indefinitely postponed in the House March 30.

Returned from the Senate, that body insisting and calling for a conference, with Messrs. Murphy, Cole and Jillson named as Senate members of the Conference Committee.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

The House voted to adhere to its former action.

On motion of Mr. GREELEY of Portland,

The House reconsidered its vote by which it adhered to its former action.

Mr. GREELEY of Portland moved that the House recede and concur with the Senate, but subsequently withdrew his motion.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

The House acceded to the request of the Senate for a conference. The Speaker named Messrs. Greeley, Connellan and Greenleaf House members of the Committee.

On motion of Mr. LOMBARD of Old Orchard,

Bill "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Lewiston, and to provide for a police commission" (House Document No. 945),

Was taken from the table.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The House receded and concurred with the Senate in the indefinite postponement of the Bill.

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden,

Order and Resolve for the investigation of railroads,

Which was temporarily tabled this day,

Was taken from the table, the pending question being the adoption of House Amendment "A."

Discussion ensued.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved indefinite postponement of the Order and connected matters.

The Chair ruled that the motion was out of order, and Mr. PIERCE withdrew it.

Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock moved that the House then vote on the adoption of House Amendment "A," which had been offered by Mr. SMITH of Hampden.

A division of the House was had, and House Amendment "A" was adopted by a vote of 66 to 32.

Mr. PIERCE then moved the indefinite postponement of the Order as amended.

Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Order as amended was lost by a vote of 56 to 68.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Fay	Morse
Ames	Gallagher	Mulligan
Bernier	Gerrish	Nicholas
Besse	Goodwin	Perkins
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Greeley	Pierce (Farm'gton)
Blake (Oakland)	Hanson (Saco)	Pierce (Houlton)
Bonney	Haraden	Ranney
Bourque	Hart	Ricker
Brann	Higgins	Roberts
Brown (Auburn)	Hobbs	Russell (Alfred)
Carson	Hodgkins	Ryder
Chadbourne	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Small
Connellan	Holt (Skowhegan)	Thombs
Connors	Lewis	Towle
Drapeau	Littlefield	Ward
Durgain	Lombard	Wescott
Dutton	Maxwell	Wilkins—56.
Ellis	McCurdy	
Erskine	McNally	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Beal	Bradbury	Brawn
Benn	Bragdon	Bussey

Campbell	Greaton	Pollard
Chaplin	Greenlaw	St. Clair (Calais)
Chamberlin	Greenleaf	St. Clair (Rockland)
Clement	Hanson (Sanford)	Sanborn
Cobb	Jameson	Smith
Coffin	Lawrence	Snow
Colcord	Libby	Tabbutt
Corliss	Lord	Tate
Currier	Mansir	Tobey
Daigle	McCorrison	Trafton
Danforth	McIntire	Turner
Descoteaux	McKinley	Wasgatt
Dilling	Meador	Washburn
Douglass	Millett	Waterhouse
Drummond	Mullin	Watts
Edwards	Newell	Welch
Evans	O'Connell	Wheeler
Fossett	Peabbles	Wilson
Gilmour	Perham	Wise
Gooding	Peterson	Woodman—68.
Grant	Plummer	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Allen	Haskell	Noyes
Averill	Hill	Picher
Ballard	Jordan	Robinson
Clifford	Leader	Russell (Lewiston)
Davis	McCarty	Thibodeau
Ford	Michaud	Tuttle
Goldthwait	Mitchell	Varney
Gould	Morrison	Webb
Harper	Neilon	Wyman—27.

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden,

The Order as amended received a passage. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The House voted to take a recess till 2.30 P. M.

AFTER RECESS

Report of Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Bill "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the licensing of dogs" (Senate Document No. 400),

Reporting that the same ought to pass with Senate Amendment "A."

(Signed) Messrs. Herrick, Allen, Bartlett,

On the part of the Senate.

Messrs. Benn, Peterson, Washburn,

On the part of the House.

The report came from the Senate accepted, and by the House was accepted in concurrence.

Mr. BESSE of Clinton moved the indefinite postponement of the Bill.

The Chair ruled the motion out of order, and Mr. BESSE withdrew it.

On motion of same gentleman,

Was reconsidered the vote by which was accepted the report of the Committee of Conference.

The same gentleman then moved the rejection of the report of the Committee of Conference.

A viva voce vote leaving the matter in doubt, a division of the House was had, and the vote to reject the Conference Committee's report prevailed by a majority so large that the Speaker declared an exact count unnecessary.

Report of the Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Bill "An Act to equalize the salaries of county commissioners" (Senate Document No. 146),

Reporting a new Senate Amendment "A," and moving that it be adopted,

(Signed) Messrs. Walker, Butler, Murphy,

On the part of the Senate.

Messrs. Roberts, Greenleaf, Haskell,

On the part of the House.

The report came from the Senate accepted, and by the House was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. ROBERTS of Portland,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the House originally passed the Bill to be engrossed as amended.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The new Senate Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence, and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill as amended was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of the Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Resolve in favor of Michael Burns (House Document No. 58),

Reporting that the Committee can not agree.

(Signed) Messrs. Colby, Walker, Emery,

On the part of the Senate.

Messrs. Perkins, Greeley, Sanborn,

On the part of the House.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. PERKINS of Augusta,

The House voted to adhere.

Bill "An Act to amend Chapter 47 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to liens on land,"

Returned from the Senate, that body asking for a new Committee of Conference and insisting on its previous action.

On motion of Mr. HANSON of Sanford,

The House voted to adhere. The Bill was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. SANBORN of South Portland,

ORDERED, That the Clerk of the House prepare and cause to be printed under his supervision six hundred copies of the Journal of the House of the present session.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

ORDERED, The Senate concurring, that the Governor be requested to return to the House Resolve appropriating \$85,000 for renovating a wing at the Augusta State Hospital, for further consideration.

The Order was passed and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

An Act to Divide the Town of Kennebunkport and Incorporate the Town of North Kennebunkport,

Which was tabled this day pending passage to be enacted,
Was taken from the table.

Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland moved indefinite postponement of the Bill.

On that question Mr. GREELEY of Portland asked for a division, which was had, and the motion was lost by a majority so great that the Speaker declared an exact count unnecessary.

Mr. GREENLEAF then moved that the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed be reconsidered, but the motion was lost.

The Bill was then passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Report of the Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

An Act Relative to the Hours of Labor of Employees of Street Railway Companies,

Reporting that the Committee were unable to agree.

(Signed) Messrs. Durgin, Bartlett, Emery,

On the part of the Senate.

Messrs. Wescott, Sanborn, Nicholas,

On the part of the House.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

Resolve in Favor of the Augusta State Hospital for Renovating the Second Male Wing,

Which had just been returned to the House by the Governor, was placed before the House by the Chair.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve was finally passed; on further motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the vote by which the Resolve was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. PIERCE then offered House Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. PERKINS of Augusta,

House Amendment "A" was adopted, and, on further motion

of same gentleman, the Resolve was passed to be engrossed as amended. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
The House voted to take a recess till 4.30 P. M.

AFTER RECESS

Report of Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

An Act Creating the Southern Maine Forest District, and Providing for Protection against Fires Therein,

Reporting that the Senate concur with the House in the indefinite postponement of the Bill.

(Signed) Messrs. Colby, Durgin, Scammon,

On the part of the Senate.

Messrs. Haskell, Gallagher, Greenleaf,

On the part of the House.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Report of Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Bill "An Act to amend Sections 4, 7 and 8 and adding Section 12 to Chapter 65 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the Department of Labor and Industry" (House Document No. 401),

Reporting that Senate Amendment "A" be rejected and Senate Amendment "B" be adopted, and Bill, herewith submitted, ought to pass in new draft as amended by Senate Amendment "B."

(Signed) Messrs. Emery, Durgin, Cole,

On the part of the Senate.

Messrs. McCarty, Descoteaux, Wescott,

On the part of the House.

The report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. McCARTY of Lewiston,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

Same gentleman moved that Senate Amendment "B" be adopted, and it was so adopted.

On further motion of same gentleman, the Bill as amended was passed to be engrossed. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of the Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Resolve in favor of the Augusta State Hospital for the erecting and equipping of a nurses' home (Senate Document No. 370),

Reporting that the Committee were unable to agree.

(Signed) Messrs. Swift, Ames,

On the part of the Senate.

Messrs. Pierce, Wasgatt, Edwards,

On the part of the House.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

Report of Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Bill "An Act relative to the granting of licenses by the municipal officers of the city of Portland" (House Document No. 735),

Recommending that the Bill in the new draft, House Document No. 735, be passed.

(Signed) Messrs. Murphy, Cole, Jillson,

On the part of the Senate.

Messrs. Greenleaf, Connellan, Greeley,

On the part of the House.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. GREELEY of Portland.

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was indefinitely postponed.

On further motion of same gentleman, was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended.

On still further motion of same gentleman,

The Bill as printed, House Document No. 735, was read three times and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-four of Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Appointment of Cruelty Agents,

Which was passed to be engrossed in the House as amended by House Amendment "A,"

Returned from the Senate with House Amendment "A" rejected and Senate Amendment "A" adopted in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF of Portland,

The House voted to insist and call for a conference. The Speaker appointed Messrs. Greenleaf of Portland, Connellan of Portland and Hanson of Sanford House members of the Conference Committee.

On motion of Mr. GREENLEAF,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the House asked for a Committee of Conference, and, on further motion of same gentleman, Senate Amendment "A" was rejected in non-concurrence.

The Bill was then sent to the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Cassie K. Turner,

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules, without reference to any committee.

On motion of Mr. HOLT of Skowhegan,

The Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, on Resolve in favor of T. W. Prince for services as clerk of the Senate Committee on Bills in the Second Reading, reporting that the same ought to pass in a new draft under same title,

Came from the Senate accepted, and by the House was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. RICKER of Castine,

The Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Final report of Committee on State Prison, reporting that they had acted on all matters referred to them,

Came from the Senate read and accepted, and by the House was read and accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The House voted to take a recess till 8.00 o'clock P. M.

EVENING SESSION

Report of Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Resolve Making Appropriations for the Construction of Buildings at the University of Maine,

Recommending that the Senate recede and concur with the House in the adoption of Senate Amendment "A."

(Signed) Messrs. Walker, Murphy, Ames,
On the part of the Senate.

Messrs. McIntire, Higgins, Perham,
On the part of the House.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

An Act to Amend Section Fifty-four of Chapter One Hundred Twenty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Appointment of Cruelty Agents,

Returned from the Senate, that body insisting on retaining Senate Amendment "A," and asking for a conference.

On motion of Mr. WARD of Augusta,
The House voted to adhere.

Final reports of the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds and the Committee on Labor, reporting that they had acted on all matters referred to them.

The reports were accepted in concurrence.

Report of the Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

An Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taking of Fish in Certain Waters in Washington and Aroostook Counties,

Reporting that the Committee could not agree.

(Signed) Messrs. Allen, Herrick, Colby,
On the part of the Senate.

Messrs. St. Clair, Benn, Washburn,
On the part of the House.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Friday,

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Dunnack of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

An Act Defining "An Act to Establish a Minimum Wage for State House Employees."

An Act to Determine the Amounts to be Paid for Clerk Hire in the Several Counties.

An Act to Incorporate The Bath Water District.

An Act for the Better Protection and Preservation of the Lobster Fisheries, Authorizing the Appointment of a Commission.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Eighty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Trial Justices.

An Act to Amend Section Forty of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Closed Season on Fur Bearing Animals.

An Act to Incorporate the Mutual Loan Society of Lewiston.

An Act to Amend Section Seventeen of Chapter Eighty of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Authority of the County

Commissioners of Cumberland County to Raise Money by Temporary Loans.

An Act to Define County Lines in the Waters of the State.

An Act Additional to Section One of Chapter Fifty-five of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Section Twenty-seven of Chapter One Hundred Twenty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Corporations for the Operation of Telegraphs or Telephones and Other Public Utilities.

An Act to Equalize the Salaries of the Clerks of the Judicial Courts.

An Act to Incorporate the Hartland Water District.

An Act to Create the Anson Water District.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Ninety-three of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Sixty-nine, Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Registration of Chattel Mortgages.

An Act for the Better Protection of Children, and to Amend Chapter Sixty-one of the Revised Statutes of Nineteen Hundred Three, and Chapter One Hundred Twenty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, as Amended by Chapter Forty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, and Chapter One Hundred Nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine.

An Act in Relation to Certain Rights and Liabilities of Husband and Wife.

An Act to Provide for State and County Aid in the Construction of Highway Bridges.

An Act to Amend Section Twenty-nine of Chapter Ninety-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Mechanics' Liens on Buildings.

An Act to Enlarge the Duties of Medical Examiners.

An Act to Amend Chapter Forty-two of the Public Laws of

Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Appointment of Guardians by Consent.

An Act to Consolidate and Revise the Laws Relating to State Printing and Binding.

An Act Amending Chapter One Hundred Forty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Abolishment of Grade Crossings of Railroads.

An Act Relative to the Employment of Minors.

An Act to Amend Chapter One of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven Providing for Notice to Registers of Probate of the Names of Corporate Surety Companies Qualified to do Business in the State, and also to Amend Section One Hundred and Twenty-one of Chapter Forty-nine of the Revised Statutes.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Mary J. D. Arkett.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Improve a Certain Road through the Property of the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Resolve in Favor of Gardner K. Heath for Services Performed as Assistant to Fortunat Belleau while he was Acting Clerk Pro Tempore.

Resolve in Favor of Edward S. Austin, Document Clerk, for Preparing Weekly Printed Index.

An Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of Government for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fifteen.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Restacking and Rearranging of the Main Room of the Maine State Library,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved the indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Discussion ensued.

The question being on the motion to indefinitely postpone the Resolve, and a viva voce vote being doubted, Mr. PERHAM of Woodstock called for a division, which was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone the Resolve prevailed by a majority so large that the Speaker declared an exact count unnecessary.

Resolve in Favor of Fred R. Smith of Pittsfield for Expenses Incurred as a Member of the Hospital Trustees in Investigating Conditions at the Augusta State Hospital,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

The Resolve was tabled.

Report of Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Bill "An Act to amend Sections four and five of Chapter 35 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture in relation to the manufacture, transportation and sale of dairy products and their imitations" (House Document No. 960),

Reporting that the Committee were unable to agree.

(Signed) Messrs. Conant, Moulton, Bartlett,

On the part of Senate.

Messrs. Peterson, Brann, McIntire,

On the part of House.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. ST. CLAIR of Calais,

Resolve in Favor of Fred R. Smith of Pittsfield for Expenses Incurred as a Member of the Hospital Trustees in Investigating Conditions at the Augusta State Hospital,

Which was this day tabled pending final passage,

Was taken from the table.

Discussion ensued.

Mr. SMITH of Hampden moved the indefinite postponement of the Resolve.

Discussion was continued.

Mr. DUTTON of Bingham moved the final passage of the Resolve.

The question being on the motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden to indefinitely postpone the Resolve, a division was had, and the motion to indefinitely postpone prevailed by a vote of 71 to 29.

Order for investigation of railroads by Special Joint Committee of the Legislature,

Which was passed in the House April 1 as amended by House Amendment "A,"

Returned from the Senate with Report "A" accepted in concurrence, and Order read and passed as amended by House Amendment "A" as amended by Senate Amendment "A."

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Hampden,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Order was passed as amended by House Amendment "A."

On further motion of same gentleman,

The House voted to recede and concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Amendment "A" to House Amendment "A."

Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland moved to indefinitely postpone the Order, and called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered.

Discussion ensued.

The question being on the motion to indefinitely postpone the Order, the motion to indefinitely postpone prevailed by a vote of 73 to 54.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Albert	Brawn	Fay
Ames	Brown (Auburn)	Ford
Ballard	Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Gallagher
Bernier	Carson	Gerrish
Besse	Chadbourne	Goodwin
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Clifford	Gould
Blake (Oakland)	Connellan	Greeley
Bonney	Conners	Hanson (Saco)
Bourque	Drapeau	Higgins
Bragdon	Ellis	Hill
Brann	Erskine	Hobbs

Hodgkins	Mulligan	Ryder
Holt (Gouldsboro)	Nicholas	St. Clair (Calais)
Holt (Skowhegan)	Noyes	St. Clair (Rockland)
Lewis	O'Connell	Small
Littlefield	Perkins	Thombs
Lombard	Peterson	Towle
Maxwell	Pierce (Farm'gton)	Turner
McCarty	Pierce (Houlton)	Ward
McCurdy	Plummer	Wasgatt
McNally	Ranney	Washburn
Mitchell	Ricker	Wescott
Morrison	Roberts	Wheeler
Morse	Russell (Alfred)	Wilkins—72

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Beal	Edwards	Newell
Benn	Evans	Peabbles
Bradbury	Gilmour	Perham
Bussey	Gooding	Picher
Campbell	Grant	Sanborn
Chaplin	Greaton	Smith
Chamberlin	Greenlaw	Snow
Clement	Hanson (Sanford)	Tabbutt
Cobb	Harper	Tate
Coffin	Jameson	Tobey
Colcord	Lawrence	Trafton
Corliss	Leader	Tuttle
Daigle	Libby	Varney
Danforth	Lord	Waterhouse
Descoteaux	Mansir	Welch
Dilling	McIntire	Wilson
Douglass	McKinley	Wise
Drummond	Meader	Woodman—56
Dutton	Millett	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Allen	Fossett	Haskell
Averill	Goldthwait	Jordan
Currier	Greenleaf	McCorrison
Davis	Haraden	Michaud
Durgain	Hart	Mullin

Neilon	Russell (Lewiston)	Webb
Pollard	Thibodeau	Wyman—23
Robinson	Watts	

Hence the Order was indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland then moved to reconsider the vote by which the Order was indefinitely postponed, but the motion was lost.

Report of Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Resolve appropriating money for the construction of one brick dormitory for inmates at the Maine School for Feeble Minded (Senate Document No. 362),

Reporting that the Committee were unable to agree.

(Signed) Messrs. Boynton, Garcelon, Jillson,
On the part of Senate.

Messrs. Pierce, Plummer, Perham,
On the part of House.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer asked and obtained unanimous consent to present out of order reports, and presented the following:

Mr. HOLT from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported "ought not to pass" on **Resolve** in favor of the Bangor Anti-Tuberculosis Association.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on **Resolve** in favor of the Central Maine Association for the relief and control of tuberculosis.

Mr. HIGGINS from the same Committee reported same on **Resolve** in favor of the Androscoggin Anti-Tuberculosis Association.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on **Resolve** in favor of the Old Town-Orono Anti-Tuberculosis Association.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on

Resolve in favor of the Central Maine Association for the Relief and Control of Tuberculosis, for additional construction and maintenance.

Mr. HOLT from same Committee reported same on Resolve in favor of the Central Maine Association for the Relief and Control of Tuberculosis, for payment of current indebtedness.

The reports were accepted and sent to the Senate.

Mr. HIGGINS from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, on Resolve in favor of the Maine State Sanatorium Association at Hebron, reported that same ought to pass in new draft under same title.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Mr. CLIFFORD of Lewiston asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce a Resolve out of order, and introduced the following:

Resolve in favor of stenographer to Secretary of Committee on Workmen's Compensation Act.

On motion of Mr. CLIFFORD, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules, without reference to a Committee. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Resolve Authorizing John G. Fleming to Bring a Suit at Law or in Equity against the State of Maine for a Balance Alleged to be Due Him on a Highway Contract,

Reporting that the Committee were unable to agree.

(Signed) Messrs. Thombs, Pierce, Sanborn,

On the part of House.

Messrs. Peacock, Boynton, Ames,

On the part of Senate.

The report was accepted and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The House voted to adhere.

Resolve authorizing the Governor and Council to use any unexpended balance in the Treasury for the construction of one or more buildings for the care of inmates at the Maine School for Feeble Minded at Pownal,

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Resolve on the pay roll of the Senate,

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Ordered, The House concurring, that five hundred copies of Senate Bill Number 99, "An Act for the preservation, perpetuation and increase of the forests of the State of Maine," be printed for the use of the Joint Special Committee appointed to inquire into the subject matter contained in said Bill, and that said copies be sent to the Chairman of said Committee.

The foregoing Order came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

An Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of Government for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fifteen,

Came up on its passage to be enacted.

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution of the State, a vote of two thirds of the members elected to the House was necessary for its passage to be enacted.

A division of the House being had, 124 members voted for the final enactment of the Bill and none against the same.

Hence the Bill was passed to be enacted as an emergency measure. It was then sent to the Senate.

Report of Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, on Resolve appropriating money for indexing the papers left by this Legislature and for proofreading and indexing the Senate Journal, reporting that same ought to pass.

The report came from the Senate accepted, and accompany-

ing Resolve read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

The report was accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The accompanying Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The House voted to take a recess till 2.30 P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

An Act to Amend Chapter Seven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Three, Relating to the Bar Harbor Municipal Court.

An Act to Authorize the Town of Eden to Own, Maintain and Operate an Electric Lighting Plant.

An Act to Amend Sections Fifty-four and Sixty-five of Chapter Eight of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Forty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relative to the Taxation of Mortgages on Real Estate in Savings Banks and Trust and Banking Companies.

An Act Additional to Chapter Four Hundred Eight of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Fifty-five, as Amended, Relating to the Charter of the City of Biddeford.

An Act to Amend Section Eighty-two of Chapter Seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes, and Sections Eight, Nine and Fourteen of Chapter One Hundred and Eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Venires for Grand Jurors.

An Act Additional to Chapter Eighty-four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Pleadings in Actions at Law on Insurance Policies.

An Act Relating to the Use of Automobiles in the Town of Mount Desert in Hancock County.

An Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred and Fifteen of

the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Municipal Elections in the Town of Eden.

An Act to Authorize the Maine Water Company to Take Water from Certain Lakes in Washington County.

An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Augusta.

An Act to Incorporate the Wells Beach Lighting District.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Ordered, That Representative N. P. Gould of Leeds be excused from further attendance at this session, and that his pay and mileage be made up to the end of the session.

On motion of Mr. WASHBURN of Perry,

Ordered, That J. A. Muldoon, Postmaster of the House of Representatives, be excused from further attendance, as he has another who has agreed to fulfill his position.

At this point the Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. CAMPBELL of Island Falls and EDWARDS of Bethel as the House members of the Commission of Five, authorized by the Order that passed the House March 17, to report recommendations to the next Legislature for suitable legislation to open up the timber lands and wild lands of the State of Maine to settlers and home-makers. The Speaker is a member of the Commission ex-officio, as is the President of the Senate. The Senate member appointed is Senator Colby of Somerset.

The Speaker also announced the appointment of Messrs. GREENLEAF of Portland, BRAGDON of Westbrook, HIGGINS of Brewer, and WARD of Augusta as the House members of the Committee of Seven named in the following Resolve, House Document No. 752, which had already been passed by both branches of the Legislature and signed by the Governor:

Resolve to Provide for a Celebration of the One Hundredth

Anniversary of the State of Maine, and the Three Hundredth Anniversary of the Landing of the Pilgrims.

Messrs. Emery of York, Bartlett of Kennebec and Boynton of Lincoln appointed on the part of the Senate.

Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer asked and obtained suspension of rules to introduce a Resolve out of order, and introduced the following:

Resolve carrying the pay roll of the House of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS, the Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to provide for the payment of salaries and mileage of members and officers and for other expenditures incident to the Seventy-seventh Legislature,"

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland,

Ordered, That the House of Representatives request the Senate to recall from the Governor Resolve for the purpose of operating the fish hatcheries and feeding stations for fish.

The Resolve soon reached the House from the Senate, which had recalled it from the Governor.

Mr. CONNELLAN of Portland moved to reconsider the vote by which the Resolve was finally passed.

The question being on the motion of Mr. CONNELLAN to reconsider the vote by which the Resolve was finally passed, Mr. DRUMMOND of Winslow called for the yeas and nays, which the House ordered, and the motion was lost by a vote of 61 to 65.

Those who voted "yea" were: Messrs.

Ballard	Bourque	Clifford
Bernier	Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Colcord
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Chadbourne	Connellan

Conners	Holt (Skowhegan)	Plummer
Corliss	Lewis	Pollard
Currier	Libby	Roberts
Descoteaux	Lord	Smith
Douglass	Maxwell	Tabbutt
Durgain	McCarty	Tate
Edwards	McCorrison	Trafton
Fossett	McCurdy	Turner
Gallagher	McIntire	Ward
Gilmour	Millett	Wasgatt
Gooding	Mulligan	Watts
Goodwin	Mullin	Welch
Greenleaf	Noyes	Wheeler
Haraden	Peabbles	Wilkins
Haskell	Perkins	Wilson
Hill	Picher	Woodman—61
Hobbs	Pierce (Farm'gton)	
Hodgkins	Pierce (Houlton)	

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Dutton	Mitchell
Ames	Ellis	Morrison
Beal	Evans	O'Connell
Benn	Fay	Perham
Besse	Ford	Peterson
Blake (Oakland)	Gerrish	Ranney
Bonney	Grant	Ricker
Bradbury	Greaton	Russell (Alfred)
Bragdon	Greenlaw	Ryder
Brann	Hanson (Saco)	St. Clair (Calais)
Brawn	Hanson (Sanford)	St. Clair (Rockland)
Bussey	Harper	Sanborn
Campbell	Hart	Snow
Carson	Higgins	Thombs
Chamberlin	Holt (Gouldsboro)	Tobey
Clement	Jameson	Towle
Cobb	Littlefield	Tuttle
Coffin	Lombard	Varney
Daigle	Mansir	Washburn
Danforth	McKinley	Waterhouse
Dilling	McNally	Wise—65
Drummond	Meader	

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Allen	Gould	Nicholas
Averill	Jordan	Robinson
Brown (Auburn)	Lawrence	Russell (Lewiston)
Chaplin	Leader	Small
Davis	Michaud	Thibodeau
Drapeau	Morse	Webb
Erskine	Neilon	Wyman—23
Goldthwait	Newell	

Those who paired were: Messrs. Greeley, yes; Wescott, no.

An Act Defining "An Act to Establish a Minimum Wage for State House Employees,"

Which was passed to be enacted in the House April 2 and in the Senate April 2, and which had been recalled by the Senate from the Governor,

Came from the Senate with the vote by which it had been passed to be enacted reconsidered, and the Act then indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be enacted.

On further motion of same gentleman,

The House voted to recede and concur with the Senate in indefinite postponement of the Bill.

The following message was received by the House from the Governor:

April 2, 1915.

To the Honorable House of Representatives:

House Document No. 962, entitled, An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Eighty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Trial Justices, is returned herewith, unsigned.

The practical effect of this law would be to take the appointment of Trial Justices out of the hands of the Governor and Council and place that power in the hands of the various Boards of County Commissioners.

The Constitution provides for the appointment by the Governor, subject to the approval of the Council, of all Judicial

Officers, excepting Judges of Probate, who are elected by the people.

Trial Justices are important Judicial Officers, and should not receive their appointment from any less responsible authority than the Governor, nor should he in appointing them, be limited to candidate selected by any local board.

OAKLEY C. CURTIS,

Governor.

THE SPEAKER: Shall this act now become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Governor? The vote on this question must be taken by yeas and nays. The Clerk will call the roll.

None voted "yea."

Those who voted "nay" were: Messrs.

Albert	Currier	Haskell
Ames	Daigle	Higgins
Ballard	Danforth	Hill
Beal	Descoteaux	Hobbs
Bernier	Dilling	Holt (Gouldsboro)
Besse	Douglass	Holt (Skowhegan)
Blake (New Gl'ster)	Drummond	Jameson
Blake (Oakland)	Durgain	Lawrence
Bonney	Dutton	Lewis
Bradbury	Ellis	Libby
Bragdon	Evans	Littlefield
Brann	Fay	Lombard
Brawn	Ford	Maxwell
Brown (N'w Sh'r'n)	Fossett	McCorrison
Bussey	Gallagher	McCurdy
Campbell	Gerrish	McIntire
Carson	Gooding	McKinley
Chamberlin	Goodwin	McNally
Clement	Gould	Millett
Clifford	Grant	Mitchell
Cobb	Greaton	Morrison
Coffin	Greenlaw	Morse
Colcord	Greenleaf	Mulligan
Connellan	Hanson (Saco)	Mullin
Connors	Hanson (Sanford)	Newell
Corliss	Harper	Nicholas

Noyes	Ryder	Tuttle
O'Connell	St. Clair (Calais)	Varney
Peabbles	St. Clair (Rockland)	Ward
Perkins	Sanborn	Wagstaff
Peterson	Small	Washburn
Picher	Smith	Watts
Pierce (Farm'gton)	Snow	Welch
Pierce (Houlton)	Tabbutt	Wescott
Plummer	Tate	Wheeler
Pollard	Thombs	Wilkins
Ranney	Tobey	Wilson
Ricker	Towle	Wise
Roberts	Trafton	Woodman
Russell (Alfred)	Turner	Wyman—120

Those who were absent were: Messrs.

Allen	Gilmour	Meador
Averill	Goldthwait	Michaud
Benn	Greeley	Neilon
Bourque	Haraden	Perham
Brown (Auburn)	Hart	Robinson
Chadbourne	Hodgkins	Russell (Lewiston)
Chaplin	Jordan	Thibodeau
Davis	Leader	Waterhouse
Drapeau	Lord	Webb—31
Edwards	Mansir	
Erskine	McCarty	

None having voted "yes" and 120 having voted "no," the veto of the Governor was sustained.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
The House voted to take a recess till 7 o'clock P. M.

EVENING SESSION

"Resolve in favor of Neil S. Gray for Services as Clerk and Stenographer to the Committee on Towns."

"Resolve in Favor of M. H. Hodgdon, for Services as Clerk and Stenographer to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game."

"Resolve in Favor of H. P. Hawes and Constance A. Gage, Clerk and Stenographer, Respectively, to the Committee on Ways and Bridges."

"Resolve in Favor of Charles R. Kingsbury, for Services as Clerk, Messenger and Stenographer to the Committee on Interior Waters."

"Resolve in Favor of George T. Hinchliffe, for Services as Clerk, Stenographer and Typewriter of the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries."

"Resolve in Favor of the Clerk and Messenger to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses."

"Resolve in Favor of Charles R. Kingsbury for Services as Clerk, Messenger and Stenographer to the Committee on Indian Affairs."

"Resolve Appropriating Money to Pay Winifred M. Bearce, Stenographer and Typist to the Secretary of the Senate."

"Resolve in Favor of Reuel B. Soule for Services as Clerk and Stenographer to the Committee on Banks and Banking."

"Resolve in Favor of the Shorthand Reporter to Committee on Railroads and Expresses."

"Resolve in Favor of Claude W. Townsend, Jr., for Services as Messenger to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game."

"Resolve in Favor of Ina E. Cladbourne."

"Resolve in Favor of Niles L. Perkins, Secretary to the Committee on Insane Hospitals."

"Resolve in Favor of Louis Garcelon for Services Rendered as Clerk of Committee on Agriculture."

"Resolve in Favor of William C. Hanson, Clerk to the Committee on Labor."

"Resolve in Favor of Kennebec County Issuing Bonds."

"Resolve in Favor of Donald C. Gates for Services as Messenger to the Committee on Towns."

“Resolve in Favor of William C. Hanson, for Services as Clerk and Stenographer to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.”

“Resolve in Favor of Arthur C. Smith, Secretary of Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.”

“Resolve Appropriating Money to Pay Josephine I. Cony, Stenographer to the President of the Senate and for Assistance Rendered in the Senate Office During the Present Session of the Legislature.”

“Resolve in Favor of Neil L. Violette, for Services as Clerk of the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.”

“Resolve in favor of H. P. Hawes for Services as Clerk to the Committee on Insane Hospitals.”

“Resolve in Favor of the Clerk, Stenographer and Messenger to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.”

An Act to Equalize the Salaries of County Commissioners.

An Act to Amend Section Forty-seven of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to the Use of Motor Boats in Hunting Sea Birds, Duck and Water Fowl.

An Act for the Assessment of a State Tax for the Year Nineteen Hundred Sixteen.

An Act Providing for the Temporary Licensing of Automobiles and Motor Vehicles.

An Act to Authorize the Town of Lisbon to Supply Gas and Electricity.

An Act Fixing the Pay of the Night Watchman of the State House.

An Act Relative to the Granting of Licenses for Certain Businesses and Purposes by the Municipal Officers of the City of Portland.

Resolve in Favor of the Commission on the Revision of the Forms and Rules of Procedure and Practice in Use in Probate Courts.

Resolve to Provide for the Payment of Telephone Service for Members during the Present Session of the Legislature.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purchase of Filing Cases for the Offices of the Secretary and President of the Senate.

Resolve in Favor of the Official Reporter of the Senate.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Pay Irene D. Chase, Stenographer and Typist to the Clerk of the House.

Resolve in Favor of P. H. Fitzgerald.

Resolve in Favor of Raymond C. Frank for Services as Clerk to the Committee on Library.

Resolve in Favor of Stenographer for Secretary of Workmen's Compensation Committee.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Construction of Certain Buildings at the University of Maine.

Resolve in Favor of Gardner K. Heath for Services in Preparing a Schedule of all Acts and Resolves Carrying an Appropriation or Expenditure of Money.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for James B. Smith.

Resolve in Favor of Ina E. Chadbourne.

Resolve in Favor of Orin B. Frost for Services as Clerk to the House Committee on Bills in Third Reading.

Resolve in Favor of Fred S. Rand.

Resolve in Favor of Cassie K. Turner.

Resolve in Favor of the Clerk, Stenographer and Messenger of Legal Affairs Committee.

Resolve in Favor of the Clerk, Stenographer and the Messenger to the Judiciary Committee for Services Rendered.

Resolve in Favor of C. R. Tupper, for Services Formulating Bills for the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

Resolve in Favor of Louis Garcelon for Services Rendered as Clerk of the Committee on School for Feeble Minded.

Resolve in Favor of Charles F. Barnes for Services as Messenger to the Committee on the Revision of the Statutes.

Resolve in Favor of Brooks Newbert for Services as Clerk, Stenographer and Messenger to the Committee on Taxation.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Pittsfield for Supplies Furnished to Certain State Paupers.

An Act to Amend the Charter of the Portland Water District.

An Act to Amend Sections Four, Seven and Eight of Chapter Sixty-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Department of Labor and Industry, and to Further Amend Said Chapter by Adding Section Twelve Thereto.

An Act Amendatory of and Additional to Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Entitled, "An Act to Create a Public Utilities Commission" and Prescribing the Duties and Powers Thereof, and to Amend Certain Provisions of the Revised Statutes and of the Public Laws of the State of Maine, Relating to Public Utilities.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purpose of Providing and Operating Patrol Boats to be Used in Enforcing the Laws Relating to Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Resolve in Favor of Edward S. Austin for Services as Document Clerk to the House of Representatives.

Resolve in Favor of P. H. Fitzgerald for Services as Mail Carrier to the House of Representatives.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted and Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

Resolve for the Purpose of operating the fish hatcheries and feeding stations for fish, for the protection of fish, game and birds, and for printing the report of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game,

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

An Act to Provide for the Payment of Salaries and Mileage of Members and Officers and for Other Expenditures Incident to the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Resolve in Favor of T. W. Prince for Services Rendered as Clerk of the Senate Committee on Bills in the Second Reading.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine State Sanatorium Association, Hebron.

Resolve Authorizing the Governor and Council to Use any Unexpended balance in the Treasury for Construction of One or More Buildings for the Care of Inmates at the School for Feeble Minded at Pownal.

Resolve in Favor of the Augusta State Hospital for Renovating the Second Male Wing of the Stone Building.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Construct a Bridge Across the Fore River Between the Cities of Portland and South Portland.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Pay for Indexing the Papers Left by This Legislature and for the Proof-reading and Indexing of the Senate Journal.

Resolve in Favor of Physician at the Maine State Prison.

Resolve in Favor of Miss Jennie M. Lyons, Stenographer to the Committee on Labor.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Pay for Proof-reading and Indexing the House Journal.

Resolve in Favor of Fortunat O. Michaud, Secretary of the Committee on Public Health.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Pay Lena R. Pierce for Services as Stenographer and Typist to the Speaker of the House.

Resolve in Favor of Ina E. Chadbourne.

Were reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,
Adjourned to nine o'clock A. M. tomorrow, Saturday.

C. C. HARVEY,
Clerk.

AUGUSTA,
SATURDAY, APRIL 3, 1915.

Met according to adjournment.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Dunnack of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

An Act to Grant a New Charter to the City of Bangor, Penobscot County, State of Maine, Repealing all Laws or Parts of Laws in Conflict Therewith,

Resolve for the Purpose of Operating the Fish Hatcheries and Feeding Stations for Fish, for the Protection of Fish, Game and Birds, and for Printing the Report of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game.

Resolve Reimbursing C. W. Dutton for Certain Expenses Incurred in His Capacity as Secretary of the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

Resolve in Favor of the Commissioner of Pharmacy.

Resolve on the Pay Roll of the House of the Seventy-Seventh Legislature.

Resolve on the Pay Roll of the Senate.

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bill passed to be enacted, Resolves finally passed, all signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of Government and to Provide for Payment of Certain Deficiencies Remaining Unpaid January First, Nineteen Hundred Fifteen.

Came up on its passage to be enacted.

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution of the State a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to the House was required in order to pass it to be enacted.

A division being had, 107 members voted for the passage of the Bill to be enacted, and none against the same.

Hence the Bill was passed to be enacted as an emergency measure. It was then sent to the Senate.

ORDERED, The House concurring, that the State Librarian mail the pamphlets containing the daily installments of the Legislative Record, for the Legislative days from March 30th to the end of the session, to the members and officers of the Legislature, at their respective homes.

The Order came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. PLUMMER of Lisbon,

ORDERED, That the compensation of the Assistant Reporter of the House be three hundred and fifty dollars, which is the same amount as paid the Assistant Reporter for the same services at last regular session of the Legislature.

Bill "An Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of Government and to Provide for Payment of Certain Deficiencies Remaining Unpaid January First, Nineteen Hundred Fifteen,"

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Brewer,

The Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

An Act to Grant a New Charter to the City of Bangor, Penobscot County, State of Maine, Repealing all Laws or Parts of Laws in Conflict Therewith,

Which was this day passed to be enacted as amended,

Returned from the Senate with the votes by which the Bill was passed to be enacted and passed to be engrossed reconsidered, Senate Amendment "C" adopted in non-concurrence, and Bill passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "C" in non-concurrence.

On motion of Mr. CONNERS of Bangor,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be enacted.

On further motion of same gentleman,

Was reconsidered the vote by which the Bill was passed to be engrossed.

On motion of same gentleman,

The House voted to concur with the Senate in the adoption of Senate Amendment "C," and, on further motion of same gentleman, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "C" in concurrence. It was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. THOMBS of Lincoln,

The House voted to take a recess till 2.00 o'clock P. M.

AFTER RECESS

An Act to Grant a New Charter to the city of Bangor, Penobscot County, State of Maine, Repealing all Laws or Parts of Laws Inconsistent Therewith,

Came up on its passage to be enacted.

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

An Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of

Government and to Provide for Payment of Certain Deficiencies Remaining Unpaid January First, Nineteen Hundred Fifteen,

Was reported from Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed.

This being an emergency measure, under the Constitution of the State a vote of two thirds of the members elected to the House was necessary to pass it to be enacted.

A division being had, 104 voted for the passage of the Bill to be enacted and none against the same.

Hence the Bill was passed to be enacted as an emergency measure. It was then sent to the Senate.

Bill "An Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of the Government for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fifteen,"

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

Bill "An Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of the Government for the Year Nineteen Hundred Sixteen,"

Came from the Senate read twice and passed to be engrossed under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Bill was read three times and passed to be engrossed in concurrence, under suspension of rules.

An Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of the Government for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fifteen,

An Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditure of the Government for the Year Nineteen Hundred Sixteen,

Were reported from the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker, and sent to the Senate.

A message was received from the Senate through Senator Price of Sagadahoc, informing the House that the Senate had transacted all business before it and was ready to adjourn without day.

Mr. PIERCE of Houlton moved that a Committee be appointed to convey a message to the Senate informing that body that the House had transacted all business before it, and was ready to adjourn without day.

The motion prevailed, and the Speaker appointed Mr. PIERCE as that Committee.

Subsequently Mr. PIERCE reported that he had delivered the message with which he was charged.

ORDERED, That a Committee of three on the part of the Senate with such as the House may join, be appointed to wait on the Governor and inform him that both branches of the Legislature, having acted on all matters before them, are now ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make,

Came from the Senate read and passed, and by the House was read and passed in concurrence.

The Senate members of the Committee were Messrs. Swift of Kennebec, Jillson of Cumberland and Price of Sagadahoc.

The Speaker joined on the part of the House the following: Messrs. Pierce of Houlton, Douglass of Webster, Mullin of Lincolnville, Sanborn of South Portland and Carson of Mount Vernon.

Subsequently Mr. PIERCE reported that the Committee had attended to the duties assigned it, and that the Governor would soon communicate with the House, through the Secretary of State, and would transmit a list of the Bills and Resolves passed during the present session of the Legislature.

Thereupon the Secretary of State, Honorable John E. Bunker, came in and laid before the House the following communication:

STATE OF MAINE

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

A List of the Acts and Resolves Passed During the Present
Session of the Legislature and Approved by me, Numbering
565 Acts and 404 Resolves, is Herewith Transmitted.

No Further Communication seems necessary.

(Signed)

OAKLEY C. CURTIS,

Governor.

April 3, 1915.

The communication was accepted.

On motion of Mr. PIERCE of Houlton,

The Speaker, at 4.58 P. M., declared the House adjourned
without day.

C. C. HARVEY,

Clerk.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

April 1, 1915.

On motion of MR. SANBORN of South Portland,

Ordered, That the Clerk of the House prepare and cause to be printed under his supervision six hundred copies of the Journal of the House of the present session.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

April 1, 1915.

Read and passed.

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk*.

A true copy.

Attest

C. C. HARVEY, *Clerk*.

TITLES OF ACTS AND RESOLVES PASSED BY
THE SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE AND
APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR.

PUBLIC LAWS.

Act Relative to Retirement of Civil War Veterans in Service of the State.

Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter Sixty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relative to Claims Against Insolvent Estates.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Little Dyer's Pond, in the Town of Jefferson, in the County of Lincoln.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Certain Ponds in Oxford County.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Jimmy Pond in Litchfield in Kennebec County and in the Outlet Stream of Said Pond.

Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Island Pond and Its Tributaries, in the Towns of Harrison and Waterford, in the Counties of Cumberland and Oxford.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Androscoggin Lake, in the Counties of Androscoggin and Kennebec.

Act to Lessen Frauds in the Name of Charity.

Act Conferring Jurisdiction to Grant Judgments Declaring Citizenship, Residence and Domicile.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Lake Hebron, in Monson, in the County of Piscataquis.

Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in the Tributaries to Pattee's Pond, and in a Portion of Wilson Brook, a Tributary to the Outlet of Said Pond, in Kennebec County.

Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Hooper Pond and Its Tributaries, in the Town of Greene, in the County of Androscoggin.

Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Otter Pond, in the Town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland.

Act to Amend That Part of Section Five of Chapter Eighty of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Eleven of the Public Laws of One Thousand Nine Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Regular Sessions of the County Commissioners in Oxford County.

Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Fresh Pond, in the Town of North Haven, in the County of Knox.

Act Additional to Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Borrowing of Money and Pledging of Securities as Collateral Therefor by Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings.

Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in North Branch Brook and Its Tributaries, in the County of Cumberland.

Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Protection of Muskrats in the Town of Fryeburg, in the County of Oxford, and in the Town of Bridgton, in the County of Cumberland.

Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Ward's Brook and in Ward's Pond, in the Town of Fryeburg, in Oxford County.

Act to Amend Section Forty-nine of Chapter Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relative to Liability for Damage Done by Loghauers.

Act Fixing the Penalty for Trespass upon Grounds of Agricultural Societies.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Burnt Land Brook, a Tributary to Presque Isle Stream, and in East Branch of Said Presque Isle Stream, in the County of Aroostook.

Act to Amend Section Twenty-six of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Deposit by Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings of Collateral for Loans Made Without the State.

Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred and Nineteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to the Salary of the Stenographer of the Superior Court for Kennebec County.

Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taking of Suckers, Eels, Hornpouts and Yellow Perch with Eel Pots, Traps, Spears or Nets.

Act in Relation to the Improvement of Highways with a Road Machine or Similar Device After the Tenth Day of August in Any Year.

Act to Amend Section Fifty-three of Chapter Sixty-six of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Duties of Executors and Administrators.

Act to Amend Section Forty-seven of Chapter Two of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Notification of Appointment and Qualification of Justices of the Peace, Trial Justices, and Notaries Public.

Act to Amend Section Fifty-four of Chapter Two of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Bond of the Treasurer of State.

Act to Amend Paragraph Two of Section Thirteen of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter Eighty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine and as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred Seventy-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relative to the Taxation of Personal Property Owned Outside of the State.

Act to Provide for the Semi-monthly Payment for Cream and Milk.

Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter Two Hundred and Twenty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relative to the Time of Closing the Polls at Primary Elections.

Act Relating to the Liquidation of Domestic Insurance Companies.

Act Relating to the Cancellation of Fire Insurance Policies Without Tender of the Return Premium.

Act to Amend Section Seventy-one of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Fifty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Authority of Towns to Raise Money.

Act to Provide for the Reduction in the Penal Sum of Probate Bonds.

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Eighty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to Employment Agencies.

Act to Amend Section Seventy-one of Chapter Seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Ninety-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Section One of Chapter One Hundred Seventy-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Jurisdiction of the Superior Court for Cumberland County in Divorce Cases.

Act to Amend Section Twenty-five of Chapter Twenty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Appointment of Inspectors of Buildings.

Act to Repeal Certain Obsolete Sections of Chapter Twenty-six of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Fences of Common Fields.

Act to Amend Section Forty-three of Chapter Sixty-six of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Appointment of an Agent or Attorney by Non-resident Executors or Administrators.

Act Relating to Certain Causes for Which the License of an Insurance Agent May Be Cancelled.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Eighty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Sealing Milk Bottles and Jars.

Act to Repeal Chapter Sixty-four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Masters, Apprentices and Servants.

Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes as Amended, Relating to the Determination of Highway Boundaries Which Are Doubtful, Uncertain or Lost.

Act to Amend Sections Twenty-three and Twenty-four of Chapter Two Hundred and Twenty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Filling Vacancies in Nominations Made at a Primary Election.

Act to Amend Paragraph Twenty-seven of Section One of Chapter One Hundred Sixteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Fifty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven and Chapters One Hundred Ninety-seven and Two Hundred Five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Compensation of the Subordinate Officers of the Maine State Prison.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter One Hundred and Forty-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Entitled "An Act to Insure Publicity with Respect to the Demands upon the State and to Facilitate the Legislative Committees in Dealing with Questions of Appropriations."

Act to Amend Section Seventy-three of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Investment of Sinking Funds Established by Any City or Town.

Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Protection of Foxes.

Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Meadow Brook and Its Tributaries, in the Towns of Stockton Springs and Prospect, in the County of Waldo.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public

Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Harlow Pond, in the Town of Parkman, in the County of Piscataquis.

Act additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taking of White Perch in Little River, in the Town of Old Orchard, in the County of York.

Act to Amend Section Fifty-two of Chapter Six of the Revised Statutes to Provide for Filling Vacancies in the Representation of the State in the United States Senate.

Act to Amend Section Forty of Chapter Sixty-six of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Notices of Appointment by Executors and Administrators.

Act to Exempt Neat Stock Thirty Months Old and Under and All Sheep and Swine from Taxation.

Act to Amend Section Fifty-five of Chapter Forty-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Forty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Enforcement of a Mortgagee's Lien for Insurance.

Act to Amend Section Seven of Chapter Two Hundred and Twenty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Nomination of United States Senators.

Act to Amend Section Ninety-one of Chapter Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, as Amended, Relating to Guide Posts at Crossings of Ways.

Act to Amend Section Twenty-one of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Sixty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to Deposits in Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings in the Names of Married Women and Minors.

Act to Amend Sections Eight, Forty-six and Fifty-four of Chapter Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Compensation of Committees in Highway Proceedings.

Act to Amend Chapter Thirty-one of the Revised Statutes by including Shooting Galleries in the Provisions Thereof.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Forest Lake, in Cumberland County.

Act to Amend Section Twenty-five and Thirty of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Taxation of the Property of Corporations.

Act to Amend Section Sixty-two of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section Thirteen of Chapter Forty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, and as Further Amended by Chapter Eighty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Providing for the Tuition of High School Scholars in Towns Having No Free High Schools.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Passadumkeag River, in the Counties of Penobscot and Hancock.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Thirty-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Eleven, Relative to the Better Protection of Forests along Railroads from Fire.

Act to Amend Section Sixteen of Chapter One Hundred Twenty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Injuries to Fruit Gardens.

Act to Amend Section Six of Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-two of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Penalty for Manufacturing or Having in Possession Implements and Materials for Counterfeiting.

Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Reception of Bribes for Neglect of Duty by Sheriff and Other Officers.

Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred and Four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Relating to Insane Criminals.

Act to Amend Section Ninety-seven of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Forty-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, as Amended by Chapter Eighty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Sixty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Appropriation for the Schooling of Children in Unorganized Townships.

Act to Amend Section Three of Chapter Fifty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the State Certification of Teachers of Public Schools.

Act to Amend Section Forty-eight of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Hunting on Kineo Point, in Kineo, in the County of Piscataquis.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Certain Waters in Township Number Six, Range Two, N. B. K. P., or Forsyth Township, and in Township Number Six, Range One, N. B. K. P., or Holeb Township, in the County of Somerset.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing through the ice in Martin Pond, Sometimes Called Long Pond, in The Forks Plantation, in Somerset County.

Act Relating to the Adjustment and Payment of Fire Losses by Insurance Companies.

Act Providing for Punishment of Certain Offenses against Habitations and Other Buildings.

Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Authority of Guardians of Persons over Twenty-one Years of Age.

Act to Amend Section Seventeen of Chapter Seventy-seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Proceedings if Husband or Wife Refuses to Release Interest in Real Estate.

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Proceedings of Judges of Probate in Vacation.

Act to Allow Transportation Companies to Issue Free or Reduced Rate Transportation to Their Employees Holding State, County or Municipal Offices.

Act to Amend Section Fifteen of Chapter Sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Thirty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to Jurisdiction of the Probate Courts.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Tilton, David and Basin Ponds, in the Town of Fayette, in the County of Kennebec.

Act to Amend Paragraph Nine of Section Thirteen of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Taxation of Personal Property Held by Religious Societies.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing Through the Ice in Brewer Pond, in the Counties of Penobscot and Hancock.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Big Indian Pond, in the Town of St. Albans, in the County of Somerset.

Act to Amend Section Seventeen of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Number of Weeks that Schools Shall be Maintained Annually.

Act to Amend Section Six of Chapter One Hundred Eighty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to Industrial Courses in Evening Schools.

Act to Amend Section One Hundred Ten of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Course of Study in the State Normal Schools.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Two of the Public Laws of One Thousand Nine Hundred Eleven, Providing for a Close Time on Scallops.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Protection of Fish, Game

and Birds on the Southerly Point of Swan Island, in the Town of Perkins, in the County of Sagadahoc.

Act to Regulate the Construction of Mausoleums or Tombs to be Used for Permanent Burial.

Act to Amend Sections Nineteen and Twenty of Chapter Sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Bond and Records of the Registers of Probate.

Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred Nineteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Payment of Deposits in the Names of Two Persons by Banks, Institutions for Savings, Trust Companies, and Loan and Building Associations.

Act to Amend Section Six of Chapter Forty-four of the Revised Statutes, Providing a Penalty for Neglect of Duty by Local Sealers of Weights and Measures.

Act to Consolidate Sections Fourteen and Thirty-eight of Chapter Forty of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Penalty for Unlawful Use of Containers Marked with Registered Devices, and to Amend Section Thirty-nine of said Chapter, Relating to Search Warrants Therefor.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Forty-four of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section Three of Chapter One Hundred and Sixteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Local Sealers of Weights and Measures.

Act to Amend Section Fifty-five of Chapter Seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Fixing of the Time Within Which Exceptions and Motions for New Trials May Be Filed in Civil and Criminal Cases.

Act to Amend Chapter Sixty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Qualifications of Insurance Agents and Brokers.

Act Prohibiting the Rebating of Premiums on Fire or Liability Insurance.

Act Requiring that Adjusters of Fire Losses be Licensed.

Act to Amend Section Twenty of Chapter Sixty-seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Distribution of Personal Estate.

Act to Amend Section Seventy-one of Chapter Eighty-three of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relative to the Release or Discharge of Attachments.

Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter One Hundred Sixteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Fifty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred Eighty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred Eighteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Compensation of the Members of the Legislature.

Act to Amend Section Six of Chapter Forty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Discharge of Inmates of the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter Forty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Sixty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to Commitments to the Maine School for Feeble Minded by Judges of Probate.

Act for the Relief of the Needy Blind Residents of Maine.

Act to Fix the Standard Weight of Certain Commodities not Included in Section Thirty-nine of Chapter Thirty-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, and to Correct the Standard Weight of a Bushel of Dried Apples and to Change the Standard Weight of a Barrel of Potatoes.

Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Seventy-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, and as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Forty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relative to Defining the Boundaries of Ways Where the Same are Doubtful, Uncertain or Lost.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Sixty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relative to the Licensing of Corporations Receiving Deposits from Their Employees.

Act to Prevent the Aiding or Abetting of the Escape of Inmates of the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Act to Amend Section Eighteen of Chapter Seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Payment of Interest to Plantations from the Funds for Lands Reserved for Public Uses.

Act to Amend Sections Twenty-one and Twenty-two of Chapter One Hundred Twenty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Obstructing Officers in the Discharge of their Duties.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Ninety of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven Entitled, "An Act Relating to the Protection of Smelts Along the Coast of Maine from Casco Bay to Penobscot Bay."

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Two Hundred and Three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Three, Relating to the Preservation of Town Records of Births, Marriages and Deaths Previous to the Year Eighteen Hundred Ninety-two.

Act to Amend Section Thirty-five of Chapter Eighty-four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Proceedings on Demurrers.

Act to Amend Section Sixty-nine of Chapter Eighty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Duration of Attachments.

Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter Twelve of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Persons not Eligible to the Office of County Treasurer.

Act to Amend Section Ten of Chapter Twelve of the Revised Statutes for the Benefit of County Law Libraries.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Nineteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Obstruction of the Drainage of Public Ways.

Act Making it Unlawful for Persons to Falsely Represent Themselves as Deaf, Dumb, Blind, Crippled or Otherwise Defective.

Act to Amend Section Ten of Chapter One Hundred Sixteen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Compensation of Fish Wardens.

Act to Amend Section Twenty-five of Chapter Forty-seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Returns of Lists of Stockholders in Banks to the Secretary of State.

Act to Repeal Chapter Sixty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Providing for Filing Lists of Heirs in the Registry of Deeds.

Act Relating to Crossings of the Rights of Way of Railroads Organized Under Chapter Fifty-three of the Revised Statutes.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in the Pool at Upper Dam and in the River Running from said Pool to Lake Molly-chunkamunk, in the County of Oxford.

Act to amend Section Thirty-four of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Seventy-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Eleven, and Chapter Seventy-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to the Employment of Superintendents of Schools.

Act in Relation to the Collecting and Preserving of Plans of Townships and Other Properties.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Rapid River, between Lower Richardson Lake and Umbagog Lake, and in Pond-in-the-River, in the County of Oxford.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Lower Kezar Pond, in the Town of Fryeburg, in Oxford County, and in the Town of Bridgton in Cumberland County.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Use of Firearms upon Megunticook Lake and Adjacent Waters and Tributaries Thereof, in Knox and Waldo Counties, and upon the Shores Thereof.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public

Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in the Davis Ponds, in Guilford and Willimantic, in the County of Piscataquis.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Certain Waters in Oxford County.

Act Providing Punishment for Escapes from Jail.

Act to Amend Section Fourteen of Chapter Eighty-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section One of Chapter One Hundred Eighty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven and by Chapter Twenty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Presentation of Claims against Estates.

Act to Equalize the Salaries of County Attorneys.

Act to Create a Board of Examination and Registration of Nurses.

Act to Equalize the Salaries of County Treasurers.

Act to Equalize the Salaries of Registers of Deeds.

Act to Amend Section Seven of Chapter Two Hundred Eleven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Regulating the Sale of Morphine and Other Hypnotic or Narcotic Drugs.

Act to Amend Section Eight of Chapter One Hundred Eighty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven as Amended by Section Two of Chapter Thirty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Appropriation for the Encouragement of Industrial Education.

Act to Amend Section Forty-four of Chapter Forty-one of the Revised Statutes, as Amended, Relating to Taking Smelts in Tide Waters.

Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Entitled, "An Act to Consolidate and Revise the Military Laws of the State of Maine," as Amended by Chapters Seven and Eighty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven and as Further Amended by Chapters Three and One Hundred Fifty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen.

Act to Provide for a Closed Time on Bull Moose.

Act to Create a Crop Pest Commission.

Act Relating to Fees Received by Clerks of Courts in Naturalization Proceedings.

Act to Amend Section Sixty-nine of Chapter Twenty-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended, Relating to the Remuneration of Deputy Sheriffs.

Act to Enable the State of Maine to Balance and Settle Its Accounts with the Various Municipalities of Maine on the First Day of December of Each Year.

Act Relating to the Payment of Salaries of Judges of Probate.

Act to Change the Name of the Maine Industrial School for Girls, and to Change the Title of the Principal Thereof to That of Superintendent.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as

Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Hunting of Water Fowl and Other Wild Birds in Back Bay, in Portland, in the County of Cumberland.

Act to Amend Section Thirty-eight of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Closed Season on Wild Hares or Rabbits.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Lake Kezar, in the Towns of Lovell, Stoneham and Stow, in Oxford County.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Tufts, Dutton and Grindstone Ponds, in the Town of Kingfield, in Franklin County.

Act to Amend Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Portions of Rangeley Stream, Kennebago Stream and Little Kennebago Stream, in the Counties of Franklin and Oxford.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Horse Shoe Pond, in West Bowdoin College Township, in the County of Piscataquis.

Act to Amend Section Eighty-nine of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Licensing of Foreign Investment Corporations.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taking of Smelts in Bryant's Pond and Its Tributaries, in the Towns of Woodstock and Greenwood, in Oxford County.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in the Tributaries to Lake Kezar and in the Tributaries to Kezar River, in the County of Oxford.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in the Tributaries to Upper and Lower Wilson Ponds, in the County of Piscataquis.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Overset Pond in the Town of Greenwood, in Oxford County.

Act to Repeal Section Forty-five of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Jurisdiction of the Commissioned of Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Act to Amend subdivision "Third" of Section Twenty-three of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Permitting Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings to Invest Their Deposits in the First Mortgage Bonds of Certain Bridge Companies.

Act to Amend Section Eighteen of Chapter Two Hundred Twenty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Proceedings Where the Owner of a Vicious Dog Fails to Comply with an Order of the Court to Kill such Dog.

Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Eighty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Place for Bringing Actions upon Non-negotiable Choses in Action by Assignees.

Act Confirming the Official Acts of Frank D. Fenderson, Acting as Register of Deeds for York County.

Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred Twenty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, by Providing for the Appointment by the Public Utilities Commission of a Chief Inspector of Utilities.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Night Hunting.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Bent's Pond, in the Town of New Sharon, in Franklin County, and in the Town of Vienna, in Kennebec County.

Act Providing for the Setting off of Debts of Legatees and Distributees against Legacies and Distributive Shares in Estates of Deceased Persons.

Act to Amend Section Sixty-five of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Ten of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Payment by the State of the Burial Expenses of Honorably Discharged Soldiers and Sailors.

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Seventy-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Examination of Pupils Entering School after Absence on Account of Sickness.

Act to Amend Section One Hundred Fifteen of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred Eighty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven and as Further Amended by Chapter Forty-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Appropriation for the Support of the Normal and Training Schools.

Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred Eighty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Providing that Flags Shall Be Furnished to Schools.

Act to Provide for the Permanent Improvement of Land within the Limit of Any Highway or Town way Adjoining Any Land Not Known as Wild Land.

Act to Prevent Milk-borne Outbreaks of Infectious Diseases.

Act to Provide for Professional Supervision of Schools of Remotely Situated Plantations.

Act to Amend Section Thirty-nine of Chapter Forty-one of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Taking of Alewives by the West Harbor Ice Company.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Twenty-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to Supplies Furnished to Any Person or Family While Placed in Quarantine by the Board of Health.

Act Directing the Treasurer of State to Correct the State Treasury Records for the Years Nineteen Hundred Eight and Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Payment of State, County and Forestry District Taxes on One Forty-eighth Part of Township Number Two, Range Nine, West from the East Line of the State, in Piscataquis County.

Act to Amend Section Eighty-nine of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Eighty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Chapter Ninety-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, and Chapter Forty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Choice of Assessors of Taxes.

Act to Repeal Section Twenty-five of Chapter One Hundred Forty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Commitment of Idle and Vicious Girls to the Maine Industrial School for Girls by Parents or Guardians.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Fifteen Mile Stream and its Tributaries, in the Counties of Kennebec and Waldo.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Ellis Pond, in Somerset County.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Ross Lake and in Cary Lake, in Littleton, in Aroostook County.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Dead Cambridge River and Other Waters, in Oxford County.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nine-

teen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Simpson Pond, in the Town of Roque Bluffs, in the County of Washington.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Mill Brook and in Metallus Brook, Tributaries to Upper Richardson Lake, and at the Mouth of said Metalluc Brook, in the County of Oxford.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Metalluc Brook and in Mill Brook, Franklin County.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Rum Pond, in Piscataquis County.

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Seventy-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Improvement of Free High Schools.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes, Providing for the Prompt Payment of Poll Taxes.

Act Authorizing the Municipal Officers, of Cities, Towns and Plantations to Purchase, Take Over and Hold Land and Materials for Highway Purposes.

Act Providing for the Disposition of Inflammable Material along the Railroads and Highways of the State.

Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter One Hundred Forty-four of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section One of Chapter One Hundred of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Transfer of Patients from One Insane Hospital to the Other, and to Provide for the Transfer of Patients from the Insane Hospitals to the Maine School for Feeble Minded, and for the Transfer of Inmates from Said School to Either of Said Hospitals.

Act to Amend Paragraph Seven of Section One Hundred of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Course of Study in Common Schools.

Act to Equalize the Salaries of Sheriffs.

Act Relating to the Amortization of Bonds of Life Insurance Companies.

Act to Regulate and Define the Rights and Privileges of Newspaper Correspondents in Attendance upon the Legislature.

Act Relating to Salaries of the Subordinate Officers of the Senate.

Act Relating to the Salaries of Subordinate Officers of the House of Representatives.

Act to Equalize the Salaries of the Registers of Probate.

Act to Amend Section Eighty-one of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended, Limiting the Amount of State Aid for Academies.

Act to Establish a State Reformatory for Women.

Act to Amend Sections One, Two, Three, and Twenty of Chapter One Hundred Sixty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Regulation of Speed of Motor Vehicles.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Davis Stream and Monson Pond Stream, in the County of Piscataquis.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Fishing in the Tributaries to Ship Pond Stream, in Piscataquis County.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relatives to Ice Fishing in Whetstone Pond, in Piscataquis County.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Berry Pond and Its Tributaries, in the Towns of Winthrop and Wayne, in the County of Kennebec.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Sand Pond, in Denmark, in the County of Oxford.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in Barker Pond in Cornville, in Somerset County.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Ice Fishing in Pleasant Pond, Mud Pond, Horseshoe Pond and Oxbow Pond, Situated in the Counties of Kennebec and Sagadahoc.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Jackson Pond, in the Town of Concord, in the County of Somerset.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Kingsbury Pond, in Somerset and Piscataquis Counties, and in the Bennett Ponds, in Guilford, in Piscataquis County.

Act Additional to Chapter Forty-one of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Destruction of Fish in Tidal Waters by Means of Dynamite or Poisonous or Stupefying Substances.

Act to Amend Section Seven of Chapter Fifteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Amended by Chapter Thirty-four of

the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, as Further Amended by Chapter Eighty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Removal of Moth Pests within the Limits of the Highway.

Act to Protect Agricultural and Horticultural Societies against Fraud.

Act Relating to the Appointment of Non-resident Guardians.

Act to Abolish the Office of Town Agent, by Amending Section Fourteen of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section Two of Chapter Two Hundred Thirteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen.

Act to Amend Section Thirty-nine of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Protection of Beaver.

Act to Amend Section Sixty-three of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Seventy-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Further Amended by Chapters Sixty-two and One Hundred Sixteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, and as Further Amended by Chapter Fifty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Tuition of Pupils in Secondary Schools.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Forty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Ages Between Which Persons May Be Admitted to the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Fishing in Booker Brook, in Levant, in the County of Penobscot.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Fishing in Mud Pond, Mirror Lake, Sometimes Called Parkis Pond, and their Tributaries, and Bog Stream and its Tributaries down as far as North Pond Stream, in Franklin and Kennebec Counties.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Carra-basset River and its Tributaries above the Bridge at Bigelow.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Shagg, Abbott and Little Concord Ponds and Their Tributaries, in Oxford County.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Prohibiting Fishing in Belgrade Stream, in the County of Kennebec.

Act to Amend Section Fifty-one of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Non-resident Hunting Licenses.

Act to Provide for Safety Appliances upon Cars Running on Street Railways.

Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter Two Hundred and Nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Time Within Which Dealers in Securities Must Renew Their Registrations.

Act to Repeal Section Twenty-four and Amend Section Twenty-five of Chapter Three of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Thirty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Relating to the Printing of the Reports of the State departments.

Act to Amend Section Fifty-six of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Registration of Guides.

Act to Provide for the Granting of Lobster Licenses and Giving State-Wide Jurisdiction to Wardens.

Act to Enable the Cities and Towns of the State of Maine to appropriate Money to Aid in the Erection of the Knox Memorial Building.

Act to Amend Section Eight of Chapter One Hundred and Thirty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to State and State Aid Highways.

Act to Provide for Granting Administration in Certain Cases Without Giving Bond.

Act to Amend Subdivision F of Division Sixth of Section Twenty-three of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes with Reference to the Investment of Deposits of Savings Banks and Institutions for Savings.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Twenty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relative to the Use of the Cinematograph.

Act to Amend Sections Two, Three and Five of Chapter Twenty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Use of the Cinematograph, Cinetograph, Kenetoscope and Moving Picture Machine.

Act to Amend Section Seventy-five of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Loans in Anticipation of Issue of Bonds or Notes.

Act to Amend Section Twenty-eight of Chapter Six of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Ninety-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Time of Opening and Closing of Polls at Elections, and also to Repeal Section Thirty-five of Said Chapter Six of the Revised Statutes.

Act Relating to the Payment of Legacies.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Stratton Brook and in the Tributaries to Said Brook and in the Mount Bigelow Ponds, in Franklin County.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Ice Fishing in the Kennebec River, in Somerset County.

Act Relating to the Acquisition of Land for Playground and Park Purposes by Village Corporations.

Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter Thirty-one of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Licenses Issued by Municipal Officers of Towns for the Operation of Steam Riding Galleries.

Act Amendatory of Section One Hundred Twenty-six of Chapter Forty-nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Reserve Fund Deposited with the State Treasurr by Assessment Casualty Insurance Companies.

Act to Amend Section Sixteen of Chapter Two Hundred Twenty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Primary Elections.

Act Providing for Enumeration of Neat Cattle, Sheep and Swine.

Act to Amend Sections Thirty-eight, Thirty-nine, Forty, Forty-two and Forty-four of Chapter Twenty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Protection of Life in Public Buildings.

Act to Amend Section Thirteen of Chapter Two Hundred and Four of the Public Laws of Eighteen Hundred Fifty-six, Relating to the Recorder of the Municipal Court of the City of Portland.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Two Hundred and Four of the Public Laws of Eighteen Hundred Fifty-six, in Relation to the Jurisdiction of the Municipal Court of the City of Portland, as Amended by Section One of Chapter Twenty-eight of the Public Laws of Eighteen Hundred Eighty-seven and Sections One of Chapter One Hundred and Thirty-four of the Public Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-five.

Act to Repeat Section Nine of Chapter Seventy-three of the Revised Statutes, Requiring the Consent of Overseers of the Poor to Sales of Real Estate by Guardians in Certain Cases.

Act to Amend Section Nineteen of Chapter Sixteen of the Revised Statutes, so as to Create the Trustees of the Local Methodist Episcopal Churches a Corporation.

Act to Amend Section Thirty-five of Chapter One Hundred Fourteen of the Revised Statutes, Authorizing Justices of the Peace to Continue the Disclosure Hearings of Poor Debtors Under Certain Circumstances.

Act to Amend Section Forty-three of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the

Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to the Protection of Game Birds.

Act Relating to the Appointment of an Agent by a Non-resident Testamentary Trustee.

Act to Fix the Salaries of Certain Public Officers.

Act to Amend Section Twenty-one of Chapter Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Compensation of Guardians.

Act to Amend Section Eighty of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Fifteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Allowing Trust Companies to Become Stockholders in Federal Reserve Banks.

Act to Provide for Semi-monthly Payments on Account of State Contracts.

Act Additional to Chapter Eighty of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Powers of the County Commissioners of Penobscot County in Regard to Securing Temporary Loans.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter One Hundred Ninety-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Ninety-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, and as Further Amended by Chapter One Hundred Eighty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Amount of the School Equalization Fund.

Act Additional to Chapter One Hundred and Fifty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Marking upon Barrels and Boxes to be Used in Shipping Apples.

Act to Amend Section Eight of Chapter One Hundred Thirty-three of the Revised Statutes, Providing That Warrants Issued by Trial Justices May Be Returned Before Any Municipal Court in the Same County.

Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred and Sixty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Payment of Small Legacies to Minors Under Any Decree of Court.

Act to Fix the Salary of the Clerk of the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game.

Act to Regulate the Sale of Lightning Rods.

Act to Regulate the Shipment of Lobsters by Shippers with Established Places of Business.

Act to Provide for the Systematic Maintenance of the Principal Thoroughfare in Each Municipality in the State.

Act to Equalize the Salaries of the Judges of Probate.

Act to Amend Section Twenty-three of Chapter Eighteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven and Chapter Forty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Annual Appropriation for the State Laboratory of Hygiene.

Act Relating to the Accounts of the Various State Examining Boards

and to Provide for the Bonding of all Officials and Clerks Who Handle Public Moneys.

Act Providing for Publicity Respecting the Membership of Mercantile Partnerships, and for Identification of Individual Merchants in Certain Cases.

Act to Correct Certain Clerical Errors in, and to Amend Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Inland Fisheries and Game.

Act Relating to the Scaling of Round Timber and the Marking of the Contents on Same.

Act to Amend Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in a Portion of Cupsuptic Stream, in Oxford County.

Act to Amend Section Seventy-two of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Sixty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to Towns.

Act to Provide for the Record in the Register of Deeds of Notices Waiving Testamentary Provisions for Husband or Wife.

Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Transcripts of Examinations or Testimony Taken in the Probate Courts.

Act to Provide for the Binding of Original Papers Filed in Probate Courts.

Act to Repeal Section Forty-two of Chapter Sixty-one of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Authority of the Mother to Bind Illegitimate Children.

Act to Confer Jurisdiction in Equity upon the Probate Courts.

Act to Repeal the Last Clause of Section Nine and All of Section Twenty-three of Chapter Sixteen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Assessment of Taxes by Parishes.

Act to Amend Section Thirteen of Chapter Sixty-seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Return of Commissioners of Partition Appointed by Probate Courts.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter One Hundred Thirty-three of the Revised Statutes, Authorizing Clerks of Courts to Administer Oaths Required by Law.

Act to Amend Section Seven of Chapter Sixty-six of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Proofs of Wills.

Act Additional to, and to Amend Section Two of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Kennebago Lake, Little Kennebago Lake and the Outlets of Said Lakes.

Act to Amend Section Fifteen of Chapter Fifteen of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Section Two of Chapter Forty-eight of the

Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five and Chapter One Hundred Twenty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, in Relation to the Accounting for an Expenditure of School Funds.

Act to Amend Section Thirty-two of Chapter Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Petitions for Adoption of Children by Non-residents.

Act to Amend Section Thirty-five of Chapter One Hundred One of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Authority of Bail Commissioners.

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Seventy-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Notices upon Petitions for Sale of Real Estate.

Act Relative to Compensation to Employees for Personal Injuries Received in the Course of Their Employment and to the Prevention of Such Injuries.

Act to Amend Chapter Thirty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Weekly Payment of Wages.

Act Relating to the Appointment of Appraisers by the Probate Courts.

Act Relating to the Verification of Certificates of Organization of Corporations.

Act Directing the Governor and Council to Submit to Each Legislature the Approximate Amount of Money Necessary to Defray the Expenses of the Public Service.

Act to Amend Section Fourteen of Chapter One Hundred Thirty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Method of Settling Damages Caused by Opening, Altering, Widening or Changing the Grade of State or State Aid Highways.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Great Brook and in Dixon Brook, in York County.

Act Additional to Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to Fishing in Violette Brook, in Van Buren, in the County of Aroostook, above Hammond's Mill.

Act to Amend Section Twenty-seven of Chapter Eighty-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Record of Attachment of Bulky Personal Property.

Act to Amend Sections Two and Eight of Chapter One Hundred Ninety-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Extirpation of Contagious Diseases Among Cattle, Horses, Sheep and Swine.

Act Relating to Procedure in the Supreme Judicial and Superior Courts.

Act to Amend Chapter Seven of the Revised Statutes Authorizing the Land Agent to Lease Camp Sites on Lands Belonging to the State, and to Repeal Obsolete Portions of said Chapter.

Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Fifty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Issuance by the Board of Dental Examiners of Certificates to Practitioners from Other States.

Act to Amend Section Thirty-six of Chapter One Hundred and One of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Forty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seven, in Relation to Bail Commissioners.

Act to Repeal Section Twenty-six of Chapter One Hundred and Forty-four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Discharge of Inmates of the Insane Hospitals by Municipal Officers.

Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter One Hundred and Eighty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Eleven, Relating to the Expiration and Renewal of Licenses Issued by the Board of Examiners to Undertakers and Embalmers.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Twenty-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Amended by Chapter Ten of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, in Relation to Reports of Hearings in Vacation in Law or Equity.

Act to Amend Section Eighteen of Chapter Sixty-five of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Judges of Probate.

Act to Fix the Salary of the Governor.

Act Authorizing the Secretary of State to Prepare and Publish Lists of Corporations Delinquent in Payment of Their Franchise Taxes.

Act to Amend Sections Fifty-six and Fifty-seven of Chapter Forty-seven of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Rights of Minority Stockholders.

Act to Fix the Salaries of the Agents of the Tribes of the Passamaquoddy and Penobscot Indians.

Act to Create a State Fund to be Known as the State Contingent Fund.

Act to Consolidate and Revise the Laws Relating to State Printing and Binding.

Act to Provide for State and County Aid in the Construction of Highway Bridges.

Act for the Better Protection of Children, and to Amend Chapter Sixty-one of the Revised Statutes of Nineteen Hundred Three, and Chapter One Hundred Twenty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, as Amended by Chapter Forty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, and Chapter One Hundred Nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine.

Act to Amend Sections Fifty-four and Sixty-five of Chapter Eight of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Forty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relative to the Taxation of Mortgages on Real Estate in Savings Banks and Trust and Banking Companies.

Act to Amend Section Eighty-two of Chapter Seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes and Sections Eight, Nine and Fourteen of Chapter One Hundred and Eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Venires for Grand Jurors.

Act Additional to Chapter Eighty-four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Pleadings in Actions at Law on Insurance Policies.

Act to Amend Chapter Fifty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Appointment of Guardians by Consent.

Act Amending Chapter One Hundred Forty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Abolishment of Grade Crossings of Railroads.

Act to Amend Section Seventeen of Chapter Eighty of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Authority of the County Commissioners of Cumberland County to Raise Money by Temporary Loans.

Act Relative to the Employment of Minors.

Act in Relation to Certain Rights and Liabilities of Husband and Wife.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Ninety-three of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Sixty-nine, Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Registration of Chattel Mortgages.

Act to Define County Lines in the Waters of the State.

Act to Amend Chapter One of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven Providing for Notice to Registers of Probate of the Names of Corporate Surety Companies Qualified to Do Business in the State, and Also to Amend Section One Hundred and Twenty-one of Chapter Forty-nine of the Revised Statutes.

Act to Enlarge the Duties of Medical Examiners.

Act to Amend Section Twenty-nine of Chapter Ninety-three of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Mechanics' Liens on Buildings.

Act to Amend Section Forty of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Closed Season on Fur Bearing Animals.

Act to Equalize the Salaries of the Clerks of the Judicial Courts.

Act Additional to Section One of Chapter Fifty-five of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Section Twenty-seven of Chapter One Hundred Twenty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Corporations for the Operation of Telegraphs or Telephones and Other Public Utilities.

Act to Determine the Amounts to be Paid for Clerk Hire in the Several Counties.

Act to Amend Chapter Eighteen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to State Board of Health.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Forty-eight of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter Twenty of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relative to the Employment of Clerks by the Bank Commissioner.

Act to Amend Sections One and Two of Chapter One Hundred Thirty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Fourteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Taxing of Insurance in Companies Not Authorized to Do Business in Maine.

Act for the Better Protection and Preservation of the Lobster Fisheries, Authorizing the Appointment of a Commission.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter One Hundred Fifty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Verification of Savings Deposits in Savings Banks, Institutions for Savings, Trust and Banking Companies.

Act to Provide for the Destruction of Dog Fish and Other Members of the Shark Species.

Act to Equalize the Salaries of County Commissioners.

Act to Amend Section Forty-seven of Chapter Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Relating to the Use of Motor Boats in Hunting Sea Birds, Duck and Water Fowl.

Act Fixing the Pay of the Night Watchman of the State House.

Act Amendatory of and Additional to Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-nine of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Entitled "An Act to Create a Public Utilities Commission" and Prescribing the Duties and Powers Thereof, and to Amend Certain Provisions of the Revised Statutes and of the Public Laws of the State of Maine, Relating to Public Utilities.

Act to Amend Sections Four, Seven and Eight of Chapter Sixty-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Department of Labor and Industry, and to Further Amend Said Chapter by Adding Section Twelve Thereto.

Act Providing for the Temporary Licensing of Automobiles and Motor Vehicles.

Act Relative to the Hours of Employment of Women and Minors.

Act to Provide for the Care and Treatment of Tubercular Persons.

TITLES OF PRIVATE ACTS APPROVED.

PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS.

Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Payment of Salaries Fixed by Law for the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifteen.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Two Hundred and Seventy-nine of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Eighty, Entitled "An Act Incorporating the Dead River Log Driving Company," as Amended by Section Two of Chapter Two Hundred Thirty-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Three, Relative to the Number of Directors.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Eastern Maine Railroad.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Monson Water Co.

Act to Enable the Town of Rangeley to Make a Fill-in and Maintain a Dam at the Outlet of Haley Pond for a Park and Sanitary Purposes.

Act to Incorporate the Englishmen's River Dyke Company.

Act to Prevent the Pollution of the Water of Wilson Lake.

Act to Repeal Chapter Fifty-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seven, Relating to the Driving of Automobiles on the Turnpike Road in the Towns of Camden and Lincolnville.

Act for the Better Protection of Shell Fish within the Town of Old Orchard in the County of York.

Act to Amend Section Three of Chapter Three Hundred Fifty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of the State of Maine for the Year Eighteen Hundred Ninety-seven, Relating to the Support of Certain Paupers and Minors in the Towns of Stonington and Deer Isle.

Act Authorizing the Town of Richmond to Change Its Burying Ground.

Act to Amend and Extend the Charter of the Baker and Spencer Brook Dam and Improvement Company.

Act to Incorporate the Mopang Dam and Improvement Company.

Act to Extend the Time in Which the Maine Title Guarantee Company is Authorized to Commence Business.

Act to Enlarge the Purposes and Powers of the Cleveland Concrete Building Block Company.

Act to Repeal Chapter Three Hundred and Twenty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Five, Entitled "An Act to Regulate the Use of the Roads in the Town of Castine."

Act to Amend Section Seventeen of Chapter Three Hundred and Fifty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, as Amended by Chapter Ninety-four of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to an Increase in the Salary of the Judge of the Caribou Municipal Court.

Act to Fix the Salary of the Judge of the Belfast Municipal Court.

Act to Amend Section Fifteen of Chapter Three Hundred Ninety-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Twenty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relative to an Increase in the Salary of the Judge of the Millinocket Municipal Court.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Four Hundred and Forty-four of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to an Increase in the Amount Allowed as Clerk Hire for the Municipal Court of the City of Lewiston.

Act for the Better Protection of Shell Fish within the Town of Eliot, in the County of York.

Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred and Seventy-four of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Eighty-seven, as Amended by Chapter Three Hundred and Sixty of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-seven, Relating to Salary of the Recorder of the Municipal Court for the City of Portland.

Act to Amend Section Three of Chapter One Hundred Fifty of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-one, as Amended by Section One of Chapter Five Hundred Fifteen of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-seven, Relating to Salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court of Portland.

Act to Close Socatean Stream to Power Boats.

Act to Regulate the Employment of Subordinates by Legislative Committees.

Act for the Better Protection of Clams within the Limits of the Town of Harpswell.

Act to Amend Sections One and Three of Chapter Three Hundred Forty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Providing for the Appointment of an Assistant Probation Officer, Defining His Duties, and Fixing the Salaries of the Probation Officers and the Said Assistant for the County of Cumberland.

Act to Incorporate the Maine Fire Insurance Company.

Act to Legalize and Confirm the Incorporation and Doings of the Congregational Church Society of Stonington, Maine, and Change the Name of Said Society.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Rumford Falls and Bethel Street Railway.

Act to Extend the Time in Which the Maine Title Insurance Company is Authorized to Commence Business.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Lincoln Sewerage Company.

Act to Amend Chapter Five Hundred Twenty-two of the Private and

Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-seven, as Amended by Chapter Three Hundred Forty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Jurisdiction of the Sanford Municipal Court.

Act to Fix the Salaries of the Judge and Recorder of the Eastport Municipal Court.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Waldo Street Railway Company.

Act to Change the Name of Mark Island, Lying in Penobscot Bay in the County of Hancock, to Resolution Island.

Act to Extend the Charter of the World Standard Insurance Company.

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Sixty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Tolls to be Charged by the Sawtelle Brook Dam and Improvement Company.

Act to Fix the Salary of the Judge and Recorder of the Sanford Municipal Court.

Act to Amend Section Three of Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-five of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relative to the Water Rights of the Dover and Foxcroft Water District.

Act to Authorize the Kennebec Lumber Company to Maintain Piers and Booms in the Kennebec River Above the Augusta Dam.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Mount Vernon Water & Electric Company.

Act to Extend the Rights, Powers and Privileges of the Barrows Falls Light and Power Company.

Act to Amend Section Fifteen of Chapter One Hundred Fifty-four of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to an Increase in the Salary of the Recorder of the Houlton Municipal Court.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Two Hundred Fifty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-eight of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Protection of Alewives, Shad and Sturgeon in the Kennebec River.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Inter-Urban Ferry Company.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Farmington-Oakland Interurban Railway.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Lincoln County Street Railway.

Act to Incorporate the Salisbury Cove Water Company.

Act Additional to Chapter Two Hundred and Ninety of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Authority of the Rumford and Mexico Water District to Take Land in the Plantation of Milton.

Act to Enlarge the Purpose of the New England Fish Company.

Act Additional to the Charter of the Penobscot Bay Electric Company.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Lubec, East Machias and Machias Railway Company.

Act to Incorporate the Town of Chapman in Aroostook County.

Act to Set Off a Part of the Town of Centerville and Annex the Same to the Town of Northfield.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Quebec Extension Railway Company.

Act to Extend and Amend the Charter of the Fairfield and Skowhegan Railway Company.

Act Authorizing the Greenville Light and Power Company to Sell and Convey Its Properties and Franchises to the Penobscot Bay Electric Company.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Lincoln Light and Power Company.

Act to Amend Section Six of Chapter Four Hundred and Eighty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred One, Entitled "An Act to Supply the Town of Lubec with Pure Water."

Act to Establish a Minimum Wage for State House Employees.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Farmington and Augusta Railway Company.

Act to Incorporate the Trustees of Saint Joseph's Academy and College for Women.

Act to Amend Chapter Thirteen of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Entitled "An Act to Create the Bingham Water District."

Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred and One of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Guilford Water District."

Act Providing for Pensions to Employees of the City of Bangor.

Act to Amend the Charters of the Thomaston Street Railway Company, the Rockland Street Railway Company, and the Camden and Rockport Street Railroad Company.

Act Amending Section One of Chapter Sixty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-one, Relating to the Lime-rock Railroad Company and Conferring Certain Additional Rights, Powers and Privileges upon Said Company.

Act to Amend Sections Three and Ten of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-five, Relating to the Bangor Municipal Court.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter One Hundred Sixty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Eighty-seven, Entitled "An Act Creating the Fort Fairfield Village Corporation," as Amended by Chapter Three Hundred Three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, and as Amended by Chapters One Hundred Sixteen and Two Hundred Ten of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Forty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, and as Amended by Chapter Fifty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Fifty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Forty, Relating to the Franklin County Agricultural Society.

Act to Provide for the Care and Maintenance of the Mount Desert Bridge, in the Town of Trenton.

Act to Amend Section Thirteen of Chapter One Hundred Twenty of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-nine, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Thirty-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Salary of the Judge of the Municipal Court in the Town of East Livermore.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Eastport Bridge.

Act to Prohibit Fishing for Herring in Sheepscot River and Its Tributaries, by Use of Seines or Nets within Two Thousand Feet of Any Trap or Weir.

Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred Twenty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Board of Overseers of the Poor and Workhouse of the City of Portland.

Act to Enlarge the Powers of The Portland Female Charitable Society.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Casco Bay Water Company.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Bowdoinham Water and Electric Company.

Act to Enable Newcastle Lumber Company to Erect and Maintain Piers and Booms in Big Wood Pond in Somerset County.

Act to Incorporate the Winthrop Water Company.

Act to Change the Name of The Board of Trade of Portland.

Act to Ratify, Confirm and Make Valid the Proceedings of the First Congregational Parish of Kittery.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Three Hundred Eighty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Taking of Lobsters and the Setting of Lobster Traps in the Waters of Gouldsboro, Eden, Trenton, Lamoine, Hancock, Sullivan and Sorrento.

Act Establishing a Close Time on Lobsters in Certain Waters of Hancock County.

Act to Provide for Conducting Scientific Investigations Bearing upon the Agriculture of Aroostook County.

Act to Make Valid a Certain Annual Town Meeting of the Town of Robbinston.

Act Authorizing the Building and Maintenance of a Dyke in the Town of Milbridge.

Act to Amend, Revive and Extend the Charter of the Stratton Water Company.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Washburn Water Company.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Bluehill Water Company.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Corinna Water Company.

Act to Authorize the Municipal Light and Power Company to Decrease Its Capital Stock.

Act to Authorize the Town of Millinocket to Own and Maintain an Electric Lighting and Power Plant.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Twenty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen, Entitled "An Act Authorizing the Town of Caribou to Accept a Certain Legacy."

Act to Amend Sections One, Two and Three of Chapter Two Hundred Seventy-seven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Entitled "An Act to Confer Additional Powers and Privileges upon the People's Ferry Company."

Act to Authorize the Removal of the Bodies of Deceased Persons from the Guilford Cemetery, in the Town of Guilford.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Brewer Water Company, as Extended and Amended by Chapter One Hundred Seventy of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen.

Act to Abolish the Office of City Solicitor of the City of Portland and to Create the Office of Corporation Counsel of the City of Portland, and to Determine His Duties, Tenure of Office and Salary.

Act to Repeal Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-eight of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-five, Entitled "An Act Relating to the Use of Purse and Drag Seines in the Georges River."

Act Providing for the Union of the Towns of Dover and Foxcroft as One Municipality.

Act to Revive and Extend the Powers of the Kingman Developing Company

Act to Repeal Certain Private and Special Laws, Relating to Use of Motor Boats in Hunting Sea Birds, Duck and Water Fowl on the Coast of Maine.

Act to Repeal Chapter Three Hundred and Seventy-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Protection of Ducks in Lincoln County.

Act to Repeal Chapter Fifty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Entitled "An Act to Regulate the Use of Certain Roads in the Town of Bluehill."

Act to Repeal Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Twenty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Protection of the Golden Eye or Whistler in the County of Hancock.

An Act to Repeal Chapter One Hundred and Sixty-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Hunting of Water Fowl and Wild Birds in Back Bay in Portland, in Cumberland County.

Act to Amend Chapter Forty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-nine, Relating to the Policeman of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians.

Act Authorizing Seboeis Plantation to Build and Maintain Its Roads and Bridges and to Raise Money Therefor.

Act Authorizing Barnard Plantation to Build and Maintain Its Roads and Bridges and to Raise Money Therefor.

Act to Incorporate the Libby Homestead Corporation.

Act to Provide a Salary for the Turnkey or Jailor for the County of Oxford.

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Two Hundred Fifty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Authorizing the Clark Power Company to Increase Its Capital Stock.

Act to change the Name of the Maine Baptist Missionary Convention and to Unite with it the Maine Baptist Education Society and the Maine Baptist Charitable Society.

Act to Establish a Board of Education for the City of Bath.

Act to Authorize the Construction of a Public Building in Rumford for Municipal and County Purposes.

Act to Extend the Time Within Which the Farmington-Oakland Railway Shall Actually Commence Business.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Livermore and Augusta Railway Company.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Penobscot Valley Gas Company.

Act to Incorporate the Maine Real Estate Title Company.

Act Establishing a Close Time on Lobsters in Machias Bay and Adjacent Waters, in the County of Washington.

Act Establishing a Close Time on Lobsters in the Waters of Jonesboro and Roque Bluffs, in Washington County.

Act Relating to the Protection of Deer in the Towns of Deer Isle and Stonington, in Hancock County.

Act for the Protection of Forests on the Island of Mount Desert.

Act to Disorganize Muscle Ridge Plantation, in the County of Knox.

Act Prohibiting the Use of Automobiles or Motor Vehicles upon a Certain Branch Road in the Town of North Haven.

Act Authorizing the Maine and New Brunswick Electrical Power Company, Limited, to Exercise Certain Powers Within the State of Maine.

Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred Eleven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to The Congregational Conference and Missionary Society of Maine.

An Act to Permit the Town of Southport to Obtain a Supply of Pure Water.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Washington County Light and Power Company.

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Thirty of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Seven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Limiting the Time Within Which the Wiscasset, Waterville and Farmington Railway Company Is Authorized to Dispose of a Part of the Property of Said Company.

Act to Incorporate the Mount Pleasant Cemetery Corporation.

Act to Divide the Town of Bristol and to Incorporate the Town of South Bristol.

Act Regulating the Taking of Clams in the Town of Lamoine.

Act to Regulate Anchorage in the Waters of Moosehead Lake Bordering on Kineo.

Act to Incorporate the Northport Village Corporation.

Act to Authorize the Maine Central Railroad Company to Retire a Portion of Its Common Stocks, and to Issue Bonds, Notes or Preferred Stock in Place Thereof.

Act to Incorporate the North Bridgton Village Corporation.

Act to Incorporate the Madawaska Electrical Power Company.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Androscoggin Valley Railroad Co.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Ocean and Northern Railroad Company.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Sixty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Entitled "An Act to Protect Cod and Other Ground Fish in Waters off the Coast of Lincoln and Sagadahoc Counties."

Act to Amend Chapter Three Hundred and Fifty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Eighty-three, Relating to the Construction of a Bridge Over Tide Waters Between Orr's Island and Bailey's Island.

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Three Hundred Sixty-three of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Fifty, Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the City of Belfast," as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Seventy-two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine.

Act to Amend Section One of Chapter One Hundred Thirty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-nine, Entitled "An Act Creating the Dixfield Village Corporation."

Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter Two Hundred and Eleven of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-five, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and One of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Relating to the Salaries of the Judge and Recorder of the Bangor Municipal Court.

Act to Repeal Chapter Two Hundred and Fifteen of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Eighty-seven, Entitled "An Act to Grant Special Powers to School District Number Three, in the Town of Springfield," and Further, to Amend Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred One, Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Trustees of Springfield Normal School."

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Four Hundred Eighty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred One, Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the York Harbor Village Corporation."

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter One Hundred Twenty-five of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Carrabassett Dam Company."

Act to Amend Section Eight of Chapter Three Hundred Twenty-five of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-seven, Fixing the Salary for the Recorder of the Municipal Court of Waterville.

Act to Repeal Chapter Eighty-seven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Three, Relating to the Taking of Lobsters Within Three Miles of the Islands of Matinicus and Criehaven.

Act Permitting the Use of Automobiles in the Town of Mount Desert.

Act to Restore the Jurisdiction in Criminal Offenses to Trial Justices in the Towns of Kittery and York.

Act Establishing a Close Time on Lobsters in the Towns of Cutler, Trescott and Lubec, in Washington County.

Act to Incorporate the South Berwick Sewer Company.

Act Additional to Chapter One Hundred Eighty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Entitled "An Act to Establish in Cumberland County a County Farm."

Act to Amend Section Three of Chapter One Hundred and Ninety-nine of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Collection of Assessments for Street Improvements in the City of Bath.

Act to Regulate the Taking of Frogs from Big Fish Lake, Portage Lake, Square Lake, Eagle Lake, Long Lake, Soldier Pond and in the Tributaries to Said Pond and Lakes, in Aroostook County.

Act to Amend the Purposes and Grant Additional Powers to the Atlantic Maritime Company.

Act to Confirm the Doings of the Forest Avenue Congregational Church of Bangor.

Act to Incorporate the Centre Lovell Cemetery Association.

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter Thirty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five, Entitled "An Act to Authorize the Houlton Water Company to Generate, Sell and Distribute Electricity," as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven.

Act to Authorize the Construction of a Weir in the Tide Waters of the Cobscook River in the Town of Lubec.

Act to Provide for the Establishment of a Board of Recreation for the City of Portland.

Act to Incorporate the Southwest Harbor Water District.

Act Authorizing the Towns of Mexico and Rumford in the County of Oxford to Purchase the Toll Bridge Between Said Towns, Erected and Owned by the Mexico Bridge Company.

Act to Extend and Enlarge the Powers of the Limerick Water and Electric Company.

Act to Extend the Charter of the Rockland, South Thomaston and St. George Railway.

Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter Three Hundred Eighty-three of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-seven,

Relating to the Tolls to be Charged by the South Branch Improvement Company.

Act to Ratify and Confirm the Organization of the State Young Men's Christian Association of Maine and to Increase Its Powers.

Act to Incorporate the Harmony Water Company.

Act to Repeal Section Four of Chapter Two Hundred Seventeen of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Inter-Urban Ferry Company."

Act to Incorporate the Presque Isle Sewerage Company.

Act to Amend Sections Three and Four of Chapter Seventy of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Eighty-seven, Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Spencer Dam Company," as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Ninety-five of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, and Also to Amend Said Chapter Seventy by Adding Thereto Sections Five, Six and Seven.

Act to Amend the Charter of the City of South Portland, Thereby Providing for the Election of Assessors by the Citizens.

Act Relating to the Vinalhaven Lighting Co.

Act to Amend Section Four of Chapter One Hundred Forty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Entitled "An Act Granting a New Charter to the Farmington Village Corporation."

Act to Amend Section Seven of Chapter One Hundred Eighty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Entitled "An Act to Establish in Cumberland County a County Farm."

Act to Create a Commission to Act in Conjunction with the State Armory Commission.

Act Relating to the Assessment of the County Taxes in the Several Counties for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fifteen.

Act for the Assessment of a State Tax for the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifteen.

Act Authorizing the Clark Power Company to Construct a Dam Across the Saco River Between the Towns of Buxton and Dayton.

Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter Two Hundred Ninety-seven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven, Relating to the Fort Kent Village Corporation.

Act Relating to the Appointment of Harbor Masters for the Harbor of Portland.

Act Authorizing the Mousam Water Company to Increase Its Capital Stock and to Contract with the City of Biddeford for Hydrant Service.

Act to Provide for a Reorganization or Consolidation of the Railroad Companies Constituting the Boston and Maine Railroad System.

Act to Incorporate the Oquossoc Light and Power Company.

Act to Confer Additional Rights and Powers upon the East Branch Improvement Company, a Corporation Incorporated by a Special Act of the Legislature, Approved March Eighteenth, Nineteen Hundred Three.

Act to Amend Section Twenty-one of Chapter One Hundred and Sixty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Eleven, Relating to the Salaries of Judge and Recorder of the Piscataquis Municipal Court.

Act to Authorize the Norway and Paris Street Railway to Purchase or Lease the Property and Franchises of the Mechanic Falls Electric Light Company.

Act to Divide the Town of Kennebunkport and Incorporate the Town of North Kennebunkport.

Act to Incorporate the Maine Indemnity Company.

Act to Amend Section Seventeen of Chapter Seventy-one of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-one Incorporating the City of Old Town.

Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred and Thirty-five of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Seventy-five, Entitled "An Act to Establish a Municipal Court in the City of Auburn," as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Eighty-six of the Private and Special Laws of the Same Year, Chapter Fifty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Eighty-one, and Chapter One Hundred and Fifty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-one, Chapter Sixty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-five, and Chapter Two Hundred and Twenty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Three.

Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-four of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine, Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Hiram Water, Light and Power Company," and Also to Extend and Enlarge the Rights, Powers and Privileges of Said Company.

Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of Government for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fifteen.

Act to Incorporate the Bath Water District.

Act to Incorporate the Mutual Loan Society of Lewiston.

Act to Incorporate the Hartland Water District.

Act to Create the Anson Water District.

Act to Authorize the Town of Eden to Own, Maintain and Operate an Electric Lighting Plant.

Act to Incorporate the Wells Beach Lighting District.

Act to Amend Chapter Seven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Three, Relating to the Bar Harbor Municipal Court.

Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred and Fifteen of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to Municipal Elections in the Town of Eden.

Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Augusta.

Act additional to Chapter Four Hundred Eight of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Fifty-five, as Amended, Relating to the Charter of the City of Biddeford.

Act to Authorize the Maine Water Company to Take Water from Certain Lakes in Washington County.

Act Relating to the Use of Automobiles in the Town of Mount Desert in Hancock County.

Act for the Assessment of a State Tax for the Year Nineteen Hundred Sixteen.

Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of Government and to Provide for Payment of Certain Deficiencies Remaining Unpaid January First, Nineteen Hundred Fifteen.

Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of Government and to Provide for Payment of Certain Deficiencies Remaining Unpaid January First, Nineteen Hundred Fifteen.

Act to Provide for the Payment of Salaries and Mileage of Members and Officers and for Other Expenditures Incident to the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Act Relative to the Granting of Licenses for Certain Businesses and Purposes by the Municipal Officers of the City of Portland.

Act to Authorize the Town of Lisbon to Supply Gas and Electricity.

Act to Amend the Charter of the Portland Water District.

Act to Grant a New Charter to the City of Bangor, Penobscot County, State of Maine, Repealing All Laws or Parts of Laws in Conflict Herewith.

Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of the Government for the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixteen.

Act to Appropriate Moneys for the Expenditures of the Government for the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifteen.

TITLES OF RESOLVES APPROVED.

RESOLVES.

Resolve in Favor of Preserving the Life of the Fish in the Several Fish Hatcheries and for the Temporary Operation of the Hatcheries and Feeding Stations for Fish in This State, and for the Protection of Fish, Game and Birds.

Resolve Granting to Ernest F. Merrow Permission of the Legislature to Build a Bridge from Thorp's Island to the Mainland in the Town of Boothbay.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Ellison Gilbert.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for L. Prescott Currier.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Bryant Libby.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for John S. Gaddis.

Resolve in Aid of Navigation on Lewys, Long and Big Lakes, in Washington County.

Resolve Providing for the Completion of the Book of Plans for Knox County and Appropriating Money Therefor.

Resolve Providing for Cooperative Work with the United States Geological Survey Under the Direction of the Public Utilities Commission.

Resolve in Favor of the Repair of Bridges in the Town of Dresden. (Passed over Governor's veto.)

Resolve Appropriating Money to Assist the Town of Whitefield in Building a Bridge Across the Sheepscot River. (Passed over Governor's veto.)

Resolve in Favor of the Bangor State Hospital for Maintenance Thereof for the Years Nineteen Hundred Fifteen and Nineteen Hundred Sixteen.

Resolve in Favor of the Bangor State Hospital for the Purchase of a Stone Crusher.

Resolve in Favor of the Bangor State Hospital for Finishing and Equipping Sleeping Rooms for Night Nurses.

Resolve in Favor of the Bangor State Hospital for the Renovation of Certain Wards.

Resolve in Favor of the Bangor State Hospital for the Erection of Sun Parlors on Wards C-1 and E-1.

Resolve in Favor of the Bangor State Hospital for the Erection and Equipment of a Building to Contain Dining and Industrial Rooms.

Resolve in Favor of the Joint Special Committee on Salaries and Fees of the Seventy-sixth Legislature.

Resolve in Favor of the People's Ferry Company for Maintenance.

Resolve Providing an Increase of State Pension for Sibae S. Andrews.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Widening the Turnpike Road in Camden and Lincolnville and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid the Plantation of Wallagrass in Constructing a Bridge.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid the Plantation of New Canada in Constructing a Bridge Across Perley Brook.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Complete the Replanking of the Wiscasset Bridge.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Lester Patten.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Mary E. Elwell.

Resolve Providing an Increased State Pension for Salathiel D. Seeley.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Reimburse Herbert W. Stevens for Money Expended While Chief Fire Warden, in Extinguishing a Fire.

Resolve Memorializing Congress in the Interest of Universal Peace.

Resolve in Favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for the Completion of the Partially Constructed Dormitory.

Resolve in Favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for Furnishings for the New Dormitory.

Resolve in Favor of the Farmington State Normal School for the Construction and Equipment of a Suitable Building for the Household Arts Department.

Resolve in Favor of the Farmington State Normal School for Completing the Furnishings of the New Dormitory.

Resolve in Favor of the Aroostook State Normal School at Presque Isle for Repairs.

Resolve Providing for the Purchase of One Hundred and Twenty-five Copies of the History of Buckfield.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purchase of the Maine State Year Book for the Years Nineteen Hundred Fifteen and Nineteen Hundred Sixteen.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Maintain the State Forest Nursery and to Encourage the Reforesting of the Waste Lands of Maine.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Provide for Further Public Instruction in Forestry.

Resolve in Favor of the Farmington State Normal School for the Purchase of Certain Land.

Resolve in Favor of the Washington State Normal School at Machias for Completing and Furnishing the Partially Constructed Dormitory.

Resolve in Favor of the Washington State Normal School at Machias for the Removing and Remodeling of the O'Brien House.

Resolve in Favor of the Farmington State Normal School for General Repairs and Permanent Improvements.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Michel B. Daly.

Resolve in Favor of Edgar S. Fossett, Secretary of the Committee on State Prison, for Certain Committee Expenses.

Resolve in Favor of the Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Messenger, Assistant Messenger, Mail Carrier, First Folder, Assistant Folder, Doorkeeper, and Pages of the Seventy-sixth Legislature for Attendance at the Organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Resolve in Favor of Leonard A. Pierce, Chairman of the House Committee on Elections, for Certain Committee Expenses.

Resolve in Favor of Frank Francis, Representative of the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians.

Resolve in Favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for the Purchase and Installation of Equipment for the Industrial Department.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purchase of Traveling Libraries Suitable for High Schools in Towns Having No Public Libraries.

Resolve Making Appropriations for the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians for the Years Nineteen Hundred Fifteen and Nineteen Hundred Sixteen.

Resolve in Favor of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians for the General Care, Maintenance, Relief and Education Thereof.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Elias Lyon.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Hannah M. Condon.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Annie L. Durham.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Sarah A. Robinson.

Resolve in Favor of Frank P. Washburn, Secretary of the Committee on Indian Affairs, to Defray Expenses of Said Committee in Visiting the Reservations at Pleasant Point and Old Town.

Resolve in Favor of the Assistant Folder and Page of the Seventy-sixth Legislature for Attendance at the Organization of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Resolve for Further Improvement in the Methods of Marketing the Farm Products and Purchasing Supplies for the Farm.

Resolve Making an Appropriation for Co-operative Agricultural Work Between the College of Agriculture of the University of Maine and the United States Department of Agriculture.

Resolve Assenting to the Provisions of An Act of the Congress of the United States, Approved May Eighth, Nineteen Hundred Fourteen, Entitled "An Act to Provide for Co-operative Agricultural Extension Work Between the Agricultural Colleges in the Several States Receiving the Benefits of the Act of Congress, Approved July 2, 1862, and of Acts Supplementary Thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture."

Resolve Appropriating Money to Promote Seed Crop Improvement in Maine.

Resolve in Aid of Navigation on Moosehead Lake.

Resolve Memorializing Congress Relative to the Retirement and Pensioning of Civil Service Employees.

Resolve Providing for the Payment of State Pensions.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid the Town of Canton in Purchasing and Repairing Its Toll Bridge.

Resolve Providing for the Examination of Claims for State Pensions.

Resolve Authorizing the Land Agent to Convey to the Town of Bridgton the State's Interest in a Certain Lot of Land in Said Town.

Resolve for Retracing and Defining the Lines Around the Reserved or School Lands of Plantations and Townships.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell, to Provide for the Payment of Interest on Trust Funds Deposited in the State Treasury.

Resolve in Favor of Lizzie Bean.

Resolve Reimbursing James J. Clement for Expenses Incurred During the Contest of His Seat in the House of Representatives of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Resolve in Favor of Levite V. Thibodeau, for Salary and Travel in Attendance at the Seventy-seventh Legislature, and Also for Expenses Incurred During the Contest for His Seat in the House of Representatives.

Resolve Reimbursing Peter Harmon for Expense Incurred in Contesting the Seat of James J. Clement in the House of Representatives of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Resolve in Favor of Arthur C. Smith, Secretary of the Committee on State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, for Certain Committee Expenses.

Resolve in Favor of W. A. Ricker, Secretary of the Committee on Education, for Certain Committee Expenses.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purchase of Musical Instruments for the Organization of a Band at the State School for Boys.

Resolve in Favor of the Town of Newfield, for the Payment of Additional State School Funds for the Year Nineteen Hundred Twelve.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Norridgewock for Money Paid Out to Support Certain Paupers.

Resolve Reimbursing the City of Old Town for Money Expended on Account of Certain State Paupers.

Resolve in Favor of the Town of Merrill for Payment of Interest Due from the State on the School Fund of Said Town.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Shirley for Money Expended on Account of Certain State Paupers.

Resolve Reimbursing Samuel D. Erskine, Moses Erskine, Wilbur B. Tibbetts, Elmer H. Boynton and Delbert L. Fowles for Money Expended as Damages for Building a Road in the Town of Jefferson.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Perry for Money Expended on Account of a State Pauper.

Resolve for General Maintenance of the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell.

Resolve for the Permanent Improvement of Buildings and for Increasing the Water Supply at the Maine Industrial School for Girls at Hallowell.

Resolve in Favor of the State School for Boys at South Portland for Permanent Improvements and Insurance.

Resolve in Favor of the State School for Boys at South Portland for General Maintenance.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Lubec for Moneys Expended for the Care and Burial of a State Pauper.

Resolve in Favor of the Eastern State Normal School at Castine for the Construction of a Gymnasium Building and for Repairs and Permanent Improvements.

Resolve in Favor of the Board of Dental Examiners for the Purchase of Certain Equipment, and for the Prosecution of Violators of the Provisions of Chapter Fifty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine State Museum.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Mary Allen.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Clarence M. Smith.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Eliza E. Philbrook.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Alonzo J. Nevers

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge Across Mattagoodus Stream in the Plantation of Webster in Penobscot County

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in the Reconstruction of a Bridge in the Town of Montville.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the New Kenduskeag Road in the Town of Glenburn, and Providing for Its Future Maintenance.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Road in the Town of Abbot, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Town of Otisfield and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Rebuilding a Road Through Lowell's Woods, in the Town of Penobscot.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Town of Orneville, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Towns of Whitneyville and Marshfield and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid the Town of Trescott in Repairing Its Highways.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Constructing a Road in the Plantation of New Canada, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Main Highway, Leading from the Town of Franklin, in Hancock County, to the

Town of Cherryfield, in Washington County, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Town of Solon.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Towns of Greenwood and Woodstock, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Road Around Cook Hill in the Town of Jackson, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Town of Concord, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in the Construction of a Road in the Town of Moscow.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Improving a Highway in Caratunk Plantation.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing and Altering the River Road in Pleasant Ridge Plantation in the County of Somerset.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Aroostook River Bridge in the Town of Ashland.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge Across the Carrabasset River in the Town of Kingfield, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Machiasport and East Machias Bridge.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Rebuilding a Bridge in the Town of Cutler.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge Across Scurdabscook Stream in the Town of Hampden and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge in the Town of Crystal and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge Across Kenduskeag Stream in the Town of Corinth.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Jesse Bachelder.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Bridge Across the Piscataquis River in the Town of Howland.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in the Repair and Maintenance of the Gardiner and Randolph Bridge.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing Mill Cove Bridge in the Town of Robbinston.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Harry J. Bean.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Lucy A. Owens.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for George N. Holland.

Resolve Authorizing the State Treasurer to Procure a Temporary Loan for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fifteen.

Resolve Authorizing the State Treasurer to Procure a Temporary Loan for the Year Nineteen Hundred Sixteen.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid Navigation on Rangeley Lake, Mooselucmeguntic Lake and Cupsuptic Lake.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid Navigation on Sebec Lake.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Maintenance of Lights Along the Narrows Connecting the Upper and Lower Richardson Lakes.

Resolve in Favor of the Bath Military and Naval Orphan Asylum for Maintenance and Repairs.

Resolve in Favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for Permanent Improvements and Repairs.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine School for the Deaf for Maintenance and the Payment of Running Expenses, Also for the Purchase of Land and Building for a Girls' Dormitory and Hospital.

Resolve in Favor of the Madawaska Training School for the Construction and Furnishing of a Suitable Dormitory Building.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Publication and Circulation of a School Text in Civics, Local Geography and Local History.

Resolve Appropriating Money for Replanking and Repainting the Bridge Over the Penobscot River Between East Millinocket and Medway.

Resolve Authorizing the Land Agent to Sell and Convey Certain Lands in the Public Lots in Plantation Number Thirty-three, in Hancock County.

Resolve Authorizing the Land Agent to Sell and Convey a Certain Lot or Parcel of Land, Situated in the Public Lot of Dennistown Plantation, in Somerset County.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Bridge Across the Penobscot River Between the Towns of Enfield and Howland.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Road in the Town of Columbia, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Repair the Bridges Across North-east Brook and Canoe Brook in Township Number Twenty-nine, Middle Division, in Washington County.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge Across the South Branch of Dead River in the Plantation of Dallas.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Reconstruction of Lord Bridge Over Marsh Stream in the Town of Frankfort.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Partially Reimburse the Town of Deblois for Money Expended in Building a Bridge.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Repair a Bridge in the Town of Addison.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing Seboeis Bridge in the Town of Howland.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the International Bridge Between the Towns of Van Buren, Maine, and St. Leonards, New Brunswick.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge in the Town of Merrill.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Rebuilding Spruce Head Bridge in the Town of South Thomaston.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Repair Mopang Bridge in Township Number Thirty, Middle Division, in Washington County.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for George F. Phillips.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in the Construction of a Bridge Across the Easterly Part of the West Channel of Sebec River, in the Town of Milo.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Purpose of Making Surveys, Plans and Estimates for a New Interstate Bridge Between Kittery, Maine, and Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Repair the Bridge Across the Machias River in the Town of Whitneyville.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge Across the Mattawamkeag River in the Town of Haynesville, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge Across the Sandy River in the Town of New Sharon, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid the Town of Forest City in Repairing and Reconstructing a Bridge.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in the Screening of Parker Pond in Kennebec and Franklin Counties.

Resolve Extending to Hon. D. D. Stewart of St. Albans the Thanks of the People of Maine for His Recent Gift to the State University.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Construction of Approaches to the State Ferry at Eggemoggin Reach.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Lake Road in Oxford County.

Resolve in Favor of the Madawaska Training School for Permanent Improvements and Repairs.

Resolve Providing for the Appointment of Delegates to the Conferences of the National Tax Association, and for the Payment of Their Actual Expenses.

Resolve Authorizing the Hospital Trustees to Sell and Convey the "Chase Merrill Place," Owned by the State in Connection with the Maine School for Feeble Minded, and to Expend the Proceeds for the Benefit of Said School.

Resolve in Favor of the Augusta State Hospital for the Full Maintenance and Support of All State Charges for the Years Nineteen Hundred Fifteen and Nineteen Hundred Sixteen.

Resolve in Favor of Alfred Yankauer for Services Rendered in Supplying the Attorney General with Information Regarding Certain Estates Liable to Pay Inheritance Taxes.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Henry Golding.

Resolve in Favor of Anson Academy for Certain Improvements and Repairs.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Everett A. Record.

Resolve in Favor of the Eastern Maine Institute to Defray Expenses and Obligations Incurred in the Conduct of the School for the School Years Ending July First, Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, and July First, Nineteen Hundred Fourteen.

Resolve in Favor of an Appropriation to Complete the Historical Record of Maine Men Serving in the United States Navy During the War for the Suppression of the Rebellion, Eighteen Hundred Sixty-one to Eighteen Hundred Sixty-five.

Resolve Providing an Epidemic or Emergency Fund.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Rebuilding a Bridge Across the Dennys River Between the Towns of Dennysville and Edmunds.

Resolve in Favor of the Nasson Institute for the Maintenance and Extension of Its Work.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Payment of Expenses of Exhibiting, and Premiums on, Maine Grown Fruit Shown at the New England Fruit Show.

Resolve in Favor of the Raymond Fish Hatchery for Repair and Additions Thereto.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Arthur H. Murch.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Alice L. Gasper.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Carry Out the Provisions of Chapter Eighty-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, Relating to the Sealing of Weights and Measures.

Resolve in Favor of the Augusta State Hospital to Complete the Furnishings for the Third Female Wing.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Protection of Trees and Shrubs from the Ravages of Dangerous Insects and Diseases.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Georgie S. Bates.

Resolve in Favor of Mary S. Hillman.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Building a Bridge Across Higgins Brook in the Town of Harmony, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing a Highway in the Town of Upton, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Harmony for Expenses Incurred in the Support of Certain State Paupers.

Resolve Compensating Will T. Collins, Mary Collins and Alice A. Collins for Land Taken Under Right of Eminent Domain, by the Commissioners of Inland Fisheries and Game for Fish Hatchery Purposes.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Susan E. Dawson.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Charles H. Kelley.

Resolve Authorizing the Land Agent to Lease Indian Ledge in Matinicus Harbor in Knox County.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Mary Harmon.

Resolve in Favor of Maine Central Institute for the Maintenance of the Courses of Instruction.

Resolve in Favor of Freedom Academy for Equipment and Repairs.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Improving a Road in the Town of Cooper, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing Highways in the Town of Hebron, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing Long Bridge in the Town of Plymouth.

Resolve in Favor of Somerset Academy for the Payment of a Sum of Money Equivalent to the Amount Said Academy Would Have Received if Its Average Attendance Had Exceeded Thirty Pupils.

Resolve in Favor of Lee Academy for the Payment of Instructors.

Resolve in Favor of the Bridgewater Classical Academy for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of Limerick Academy for Aid in the Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve in Favor of the Town of Rumford for the Payment of a Claim for State Common School Fund for the Year Nineteen Hundred and Thirteen.

Resolve in Favor of H. W. Nicholas, Secretary of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, for Certain Committee Expenses.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Frances H. Orrok.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Luella Darling.

Resolve in Favor of Westbrook Seminary for the Payment of a Certain Debt and for Furnishings for Alumni Hall.

Resolve in Favor of North Yarmouth Academy for Repairs and Improvements, and Also for the Payment of Certain Indebtedness.

Resolve in Favor of the Aroostook Central Institute for the Payment of Liabilities, and Also for Repairs and Improvements.

Resolve in Favor of Higgins Classical Institute for Building Purposes.

Resolve in Favor of the Ricker Classical Institute, for the Repairs and Improvement of Buildings.

Resolve in Favor of Lee Academy for Liquidation of Certain Indebtedness.

Resolve Reimbursing Fortunat O. Michaud, for Expense Incurred by Reason of His Seat in the House of Representatives of the Seventy-seventh Legislature Having Been Contested.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Meldon Nealley.

Resolve Continuing the Unexpended Appropriation Provided by Chapter Three Hundred Twenty-one of the Resolves of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Entitled "Resolve in Favor of Aid in the Construction of a Highway Bridge Over the St. John River Between Fort Kent, Maine, and St. Francis, New Brunswick."

Resolve in Favor of the Treasurer of State to Enable Him to Properly Balance and Settle Accounts with the Various Cities, Towns and Plantations for the Year Nineteen Hundred Fourteen.

Resolve in Favor of the Holy Innocents' Home for Infants for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Hayes Women's Home of Lewiston for Assistance in Carrying on Its Work.

Resolve in Favor of the York County Children's Aid Society for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Lewiston and Auburn Children's Home for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Knox County General Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in favor of the Maine General Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Augusta General Hospital for the Use and Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve in Favor of the Presque Isle General Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Rumford Hospital Association for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Somerset Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Trull Hospital Aid Association for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Children's Hospital for Maintenance and Also for the Reduction of the Debt of Said Institution.

Resolve in Favor of the Northern Maine General Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of St. Mary's General Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Asylum for Maintenance.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Full Support of All State Charges at the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Institution for the Blind for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of St. Joseph's Academy, to Assist in the Payment of Its Debt and for Permanent Improvements and Equipment.

Resolve Making an Appropriation for the General Maintenance and Support of the University of Maine.

Resolve in Favor of Van Buren College for Maintenance and the Purchase of Equipment.

Resolve in Relation to the Completion of the Sixth Revision of the General and Public Laws and Appointing a Commissioner Therefor.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in a Survey for a Bridge Across the Taunton River Between the Towns of Sullivan and Hancock.

Resolve in Favor of Leo Shay, Representative of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians, for Travel and Attendance at Regular Session of the Seventy-seventh Legislature.

Resolve Providing for the Distribution of the Revised Statutes.

Resolve to Provide for a Celebration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the Admission of the State of Maine to the Union and the Three Hundredth Anniversary of the Landing of the Pilgrims.

Resolve in Aid of Navigation on Sebago Lake, Songo River, Bay of Naples and Long Lake.

Resolve Reimbursing The Forks Plantation for Money Expended on Account of a Certain State Pauper.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Mexico for Money Expended for the Support of Certain State Paupers.

Resolve Reimbursing Edmund E. Gould, a State Agent for the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, for Money Expended in Defending a Law Suit Resulting from Acts Committed by Him in Line of Duty.

Resolve Reimbursing the Estate of James C. Braman for a Collateral Inheritance Tax Erroneously Assessed Against Said Estate and Paid by the Executors of the Will of Said Braman.

Resolve Reimbursing William F. Mason for Loss Occasioned by a Quarantine on Christmas Trees.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Otisfield for Money Expended on Account of a State Pauper.

Resolve Providing for the Retirement on Half Pay of Frederick Brown, a Former Employee of the State.

Resolve Increasing the Retirement Pay of Thomas Clark.

Resolve Appropriating Money for and Authorizing the Purchase of a History of Pemaquid.

Resolve Providing for the Purchase of Certain Volumes of the Documentary History of Maine.

Resolve in Favor of the Central Maine General Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve Providing for the Purchase of a Certain Portrait of Major General Joshua L. Chamberlain, a Former Governor of This State.

Resolve Authorizing the State Treasurer and the State Auditor to Adjust Certain Accounts in the State Treasurer's Office.

Resolve in Favor of Mrs. Blanche M. Reynolds, Edward J. McWiggin, Thomas Hawkins and William H. Hawkins.

Resolve Reimbursing Benjamin M. Jenness for Money Expended for the Burial Expenses of Certain Honorably Discharged Soldiers of the Civil War.

Resolve in Favor of the Town of Castine for the Reimbursement of Money Spent in Excess of a State Road Appropriation.

Resolve Reimbursing the Town of Orneville for Expenses Incurred in the Commitment of an Insane State Pauper.

Resolve in Favor of the Girls' Orphanage of Lewiston for Maintenance.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Highway Over Hardscrabble Hill in the Town of Orland, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve in Favor of the Healy Asylum for Maintenance, and Also for a Heating Plant and the Repair of Buildings.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Mission for the Deaf for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Good Samaritan Home Association for Maintenance.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Road Leading from Shin Pond to Mattagamon Post Office, in Penobscot County.

Resolve in Favor of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union Temporary Home for Children for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Temporary Home for Women and Children for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Children's Protective Society of Maine for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Children's Heart Society of Maine for Maintenance and the Carrying Out of Its Work.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Repairing the Highway Over Marsh Hill in the Town of Stockton Springs, and Providing for the Future Maintenance Thereof.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Home for Friendless Boys for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Children's Aid Society of Maine for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Children's Home Society for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Daughters of Wisdom for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Bar Harbor Medical and Surgical Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Waldo County General Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Webber Hospital Association for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Eastern Maine General Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the Hospital of the Young Men's Christian Association of Greenville Junction for Maintenance.

Resolve in Favor of the York Hospital for Maintenance.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Maintenance of the Bureau of Horticulture.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Promote and Assist the Interests of Poultry Culture.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Settle Claims for Land Damages Resulting from the Construction of the Easterly Span of the Bridge Between the City of Old Town and the Town of Milford.

Resolve Reimbursing the County Commissioners of Penobscot County for the Cost of Repairs to the State Bridge Across the Penobscot River Between the City of Old Town and the Town of Milford.

Resolve Reimbursing Joseph J. Roberts, an Agent for the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, for Money Expended and Services Rendered in the Discharge of His Duty.

Resolve for Laying the County Taxes for the Year Nineteen Hundred and Sixteen.

Resolve in Favor of Relief of the Heirs of Revolutionary Soldiers.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Aid in Rebuilding a Bridge Between the Town of Southport and the Town of Boothbay Harbor.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Restore the Early Records in the Office of the Clerk of Courts for York County.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine State Prison for Certain Improvements and Repairs.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Carry Out the Provisions of Chapter One Hundred Fifty-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Entitled "An Act to Regulate the Packing, Shipping and Sale of Apples."

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Completion of the Fish Screen at the Outlet of Beech Hill Lake, in the Town of Otis.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Care and Maintenance of Fort William Henry in the Town of Bristol.

Resolve Appropriating Money to Reimburse the City of Biddeford for Money Expended for the Support of a Certain State Pauper.

Resolve Reimbursing the City of Biddeford for Money Expended for the Support of Certain State Paupers.

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Installation of Steel Filing Cases in the Office of the State Treasurer.

Resolve Authorizing the State Highway Commission to Undertake the Defense of a Certain Suit at Law Against the Town of Falmouth.

Resolve in Favor of E. W. Murphy, Secretary of the Joint Special Committee Appointed by the Seventy-sixth Legislature on Women's Reformatory, State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls, for Certain Committee Expenses.

Resolve in Favor of Dana H. Danforth, Secretary of the Committee on School for Feeble Minded, for the Expenses of Said Committee in Visiting the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

Resolve in Favor of the Maine Society of the Sons of the American Revolution to Provide Markers for the Unmarked Graves of the Soldiers of the Revolution.

Resolve to Reimburse the Town of Aurora for Over-expenditure on the Nineteen Hundred Thirteen State Aid Road.

Resolve in Favor of Rena Cooley of Augusta.

Resolve in Favor of Gorham P. Grant for Refund of Money Paid in Lieu of Military Service in the Late War of the Rebellion.

Resolve Providing a State Pension for Mary A. Moulton.

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DUTIES AND POWERS OF THE SPEAKER.

1. It shall be the duty of the speaker to take the chair at the hour to which the house shall have adjourned, call the members to order, and after the appearance of a quorum, cause the journal of the preceding day to be read;

To announce the business before the house in the order in which it is to be acted upon;

To receive and submit to vote all motions and propositions regularly moved or that necessarily arise in the course of proceedings, and announce the result;

To restrain the members, when engaged in debate, within the rules of order, and to enforce on all occasions, the observance of order and decorum among the members;

To decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the house;

To receive all messages and other communications and announce them to the house;

To authenticate by his signature bills that have passed to be enacted and resolves finally passed;

To name the members who are to serve on committees, unless the house otherwise direct:

To appoint the member who shall take the chair when the house has determined to go into committee of the whole;

And to name a member to perform his duties during his absence for a time not exceeding the remainder of the day.

2. The speaker may address the house on points of order, in preference to other members; and may vote in all cases.

DUTIES OF THE CLERK.

3. The clerk shall keep a journal of what is done by the house; read papers when required by the house or speaker; call the roll alphabetically, and note the answers of members, when the house orders or when a question is taken by yeas and nays; notify committees of their appointment and of the business referred to them; authenticate by his signature all the orders and proceedings of the house not authenticated by the speaker; have charge of all the documents and papers of every kind confided to the care of the house; bear all messages and transmit all papers from the house to the governor or to the senate, unless the house shall otherwise order; make up the pay-roll of the members; and

in the absence of the speaker at the hour for meeting, shall preside until a speaker *pro tem* be chosen; and at the close of the session shall file in an orderly manner all papers and documents in possession of the house, passed upon or received during the session; and at the commencement of the next legislature shall preside until the election of speaker; and record the doings of the house until a new clerk shall be chosen and qualified; and in the absence of the clerk, the assistant clerk shall be clerk *pro tempore*, with power to appoint an assistant.

CHAPLAINS.

4. Every morning the house on assembling shall join with the chaplains in religious service.

5. The chaplains may change duties with each other or with the chaplains of the senate.

MONITORS.

6. One monitor shall be appointed by the speaker for each division of the house, whose duty shall be to see to the observance of the rules of the house, and on demand of the speaker, to return the number of votes and members in his division.

7. If any member shall transgress any of the rules of the house, and persist therein, after being notified thereof by any monitor, it shall be the duty of such monitor to give information thereof to the house.

COMMITTEES.

8. The following standing committees shall be appointed at the commencement of the session, whose duty shall be to consider all subjects referred to them and report thereon:

- On ways and means,
- On leave of absence,
- On bills in the third reading,
- On engrossed bills,
- On elections,

· To consist of seven members each.

- On county estimates,

To consist of one member from each county.

- On rules and business of the house,

To consist of three members and the speaker *ex-officio*.

9. In all elections by ballot, of committees of the house, the persons having the highest number of votes shall act as chairman. In case two or more persons receive the same number of votes, the committee by a majority of their number shall elect a chairman.

RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF MEMBERS.

10. The seat which a member draws at the commencement of the session shall be his during the session, unless he shall have leave of the speaker to change it.

11. No member shall sit at the desk of the speaker or clerk, except by the permission of the speaker.

12. When two or more members rise at the same time, the speaker shall name the person to speak, but in all cases the member who shall rise first and address the chair shall speak first.

13. No member shall interrupt another while speaking, except to call to order or correct a mistake.

14. No member shall speak more than twice to the same question, without first asking leave of the house.

15. No member shall speak out of his place without leave from the chair, nor without first rising and addressing the speaker; and he shall sit down as soon as he has done speaking.

16. No member shall act as counsel for any party, before a joint committee of the legislature, or a committee of the house.

17. No member shall be allowed to stand up to the interruption of another while any member is speaking, or pass unnecessarily between the speaker of the house and the person speaking; or stand in an alley, or sit or stand covered, during the session of the house.

18. Every member shall make out and deliver to the clerk or to the committee on pay-roll a statement of the number of miles usually traveled in going from his residence to the seat of government.

19. Every member who shall neglect to give his attendance to the house for more than six days after the session commences shall, on making his appearance therein, be held to render the reason for such neglect; and in case the reason assigned shall be deemed by the house sufficient, such member shall be entitled to receive pay for his travel, and not otherwise; and no member shall be absent more than two days without leave of the house; and no member shall have such leave, unless it be reported by the committee on leave of absence; and no leave of absence shall avail any member who retains his seat more than five days from the time the same was obtained.

20. Any member having obtained leave of absence, and having in his possession any papers relating to the business before the house, shall leave the same with the clerk.

21. When any member shall be guilty of a breach of any of the rules and orders of the house and the house has determined he has so transgressed, he shall not be allowed to vote or speak, unless by way of excuse for the same, until he has made satisfaction.

22. Every member who shall be in the house when a question is put where he is not excluded by interest shall give his vote, unless the house for special reasons shall excuse him, and when yeas and nays are ordered, no member shall leave his seat until the vote is declared. In all elections by the house, or in joint ballot of the two houses, no member shall leave his seat, after voting, before a return of the house is had.

23. When the galleries shall be ordered to be cleared or shut, the matter which may occasion such order shall be kept secret by each member, until the house shall order such injunction of secrecy to be taken off.

24. No person not a member or officer of the house, except members of the senate, its secretary and assistants, the governor and coun-

cil, state treasurer, secretary of state, land agent, adjutant general, judges of the supreme judicial court, chaplains of the senate and reporters of the proceedings and debates of the house, shall be admitted within the representatives' hall, unless invited by some member of the house.

PROCEEDINGS AND DEBATES.

25. After reading of the journal, the following shall be the order of business:

1st. Senate papers, and first reading of accompanying bills and resolves.

2d. Messages and documents from the executive and heads of departments.

3d. Reception of petitions, bills and resolves requiring reference to any committee.

4th. Orders.

5th. Reports of committees.

6th. First reading of bills and resolves printed under the rules.

7th. Bills and resolves reported by committee on bills in the third reading, and on their passage to be engrossed.

8th. Bills on their passage to be enacted.

9th. Orders of the day.

The speaker shall announce each item of business in its turn, and no paper shall be taken up out of its regular order, except by the unanimous consent of the house. The orders of the day shall take precedence of all other business at the expiration of the morning hour.

26. It shall be the duty of the clerk to make up daily a calendar of bills, resolves and other papers, assigned for that day's consideration, and also a calendar of bills and resolves which have had their first reading, and showing the disposition that has been made of each.

27. The unfinished business in which the house was engaged at the time of the last adjournment, shall have preference in the orders of the day and shall continue to be among the orders of the day for each succeeding day until disposed of and no motion or other business shall be received, without special leave of the house, until the former is disposed of.

28. When a question is under debate no motion shall be received but—

1st. To adjourn.

2d. To lay on the table.

3d. For the previous question.

4th. To commit.

5th. To postpone to a day certain.

6th. To amend.

7th. To postpone indefinitely.

Which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are arranged.

Questions of concurrence or otherwise with the senate shall have precedence of each other in the following order:

- 1st. To recede.
- 2d. To concur.
- 3d. To insist.
- 4th. To adhere.

29. A motion to adjourn shall always be first in order, and shall be decided without debate.

30. A vote to lay a proposition on the table shall not preclude the further consideration of it on the same day.

31. When motion for the previous question is made, the consent of one-third of the members present shall be necessary to authorize the speaker to entertain it. No debate shall be allowed until the matter of consent is determined. The previous question shall be submitted in the following words: *Shall the main question be put now?* No member shall speak more than five minutes on the motion for the previous question, and while that question is pending a motion to lay on the table shall be decided without debate. A call for the yeas and nays, or for division of a question, shall be in order after the main question has been ordered to be put. After the adoption of the previous question, the vote shall be taken forthwith upon amendments, and then upon the main question.

32. Propositions to amend by striking out and inserting dates, numbers and sums, are not divisible; but all propositions, otherwise divisible, shall be divided at the request of any ten members. A motion to strike out being lost, shall neither preclude amendments, nor a motion to strike out and insert.

33. In filling blanks and assigning times for the consideration of business, the largest sum and longest time shall be put first.

34. When a proposition consists of several paragraphs or sections, amendment of one of them shall not preclude amendment of a prior paragraph or section.

35. No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted under color of amendment.

36. After a motion or order is stated or read by the speaker, and seconded, it shall be regarded as in the possession of the house, and shall be disposed of by the vote of the house. But any motion or order may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before a decision or amendment, except a motion to reconsider, which shall not be withdrawn except by consent of the house.

37. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if required by the speaker or by any member.

38. No member shall be permitted to lay a motion in writing on the table, until he shall have read the same in his place.

39. When a vote having been declared by the speaker, is doubted, the members for and against the question, when called on by the speaker, shall rise and stand till they are counted, and the vote made certain without further debate. But a call for the yeas and nays shall be in order at any time before such a vote is made certain and declared.

40. When a motion has once been made and carried in the affirmative or negative, it shall not be in order for any member who voted in the minority to move a reconsideration thereof; but any member who voted with the majority, or in the negative on a tie vote, may move to reconsider on the same or succeeding day. A motion to reconsider shall not be postponed or laid on the table without a certain time assigned for its further consideration. When a motion for reconsideration has been decided, the vote shall not be reconsidered. A motion to reconsider shall not be in order more than once on the same question.

41. When a member shall move, or give notice of his intention to move, a reconsideration of any vote, the papers to which the motion relates shall remain in possession of the clerk until the question of reconsideration shall have been decided, or the right to move such a question is lost.

42. In all elections by ballot, of the house, a time shall be assigned for such election, at least one day previous thereto.

43. When the reading of a paper is called for which has been before read to the house, and the same is objected to by any member, the question of reading shall be determined by a vote of the house.

44. Every question of order which shall be decided on appeal shall be entered on the journal of the house with the decision thereon.

45. A proposition to require the opinion of the judges of the supreme court, as provided by the constitution, shall not be acted upon until the next day after such proposition is made.

46. All petitions, memorials and other papers addressed to the house, and all bills and resolves to be introduced in the house, shall be endorsed with the name of the person presenting them, with the subject matter of the same, together with the name of the committee, to which the person presenting them desires the same to be referred, and shall be placed by the members presenting them in a box placed for that purpose in front of the clerk's desk. All such petitions, memorials, papers, bills and resolves, which are deposited in said box before five o'clock in the afternoon of each day shall be removed therefrom by the clerk, and shall be introduced and received in the house on the following day, at which time they shall be presented to the house by the speaker, or such other person as the speaker may request, and referred to the proper committees, unless the house shall otherwise order.

47. All bills in their third reading, and resolves in their second reading, shall be committed to the standing committee on bills in the third reading, to be by them examined and corrected.

48. All resolves appropriating money or land shall have their second reading on such day subsequent to that of their first reading as the house may assign.

49. All engrossed bills and resolves shall be committed to the standing committee on engrossed bills to be strictly examined; and if found by them to be truly and strictly engrossed, they shall so report to the house, and the question shall be taken without any further reading, unless on motion of any member, a majority of the house shall be in favor of reading the same as engrossed.

50. Every bill or resolve, providing for the grant of money, land, or other public property, which may be laid on the table by leave, and any report of a committee upon any bill or resolve providing for such grant, shall be accompanied by a written statement of facts in each case; and no such bill or resolve shall be considered before such statement is made, or pass without being read on two several days.

51. No new bill or resolve of a public nature shall be received, except it be reported by a committee, unless the house otherwise order; and all bills and resolves not reported by a committee, shall be laid upon the table, for one day, before further action thereon.

52. No act or resolve shall be passed affecting the rights of individuals or corporations, without previous notice to such individuals or corporations.

53. No bill shall pass to be engrossed until it shall have had three several readings; the time for the second and third readings shall be assigned by the house; but if no objection is made, the second reading may be by the title, and at the time of the first. Every resolve which shall require the approval of the governor, shall have two several readings; and the second reading shall be subject to the provisions of the third reading of bills.

54. No engrossed bill or resolve shall be sent to the senate, without notice thereof being given to the house by the speaker.

55. When a bill or resolve shall be returned by the governor with his objections, the question shall be stated by the chair, *Shall this bill become a law notwithstanding the objections of the governor?* and the same in substance in case of a resolve; which question may be postponed to a day within the session, not exceeding one week or may be committed. But no other question shall apply to bills and resolves originating in either branch.

56. The rules of parliamentary practice comprised in Reed's Rules, shall govern the house in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the standing rules and orders of the house, and the joint rules of the senate and house of representatives.

57. No rule or order of the house shall be dispensed with, unless two-thirds of the members present shall consent thereto.

58. No rule or order of the house shall be altered or repealed, nor shall any new standing rule or order be adopted, unless one day's previous notice thereof be given in each case; and such notice shall be entered on the journal.

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I. The following joint standing committees shall be appointed at the commencement of the session, viz:—

- On agriculture.
- On appropriations and financial affairs.
- On banks and banking.
- On claims.
- On commerce.
- On counties.
- On education.
- On federal relations.
- On Indian affairs.
- On inland fisheries and game.
- On insane hospitals.
- On interior waters.
- On judiciary.
- On labor.
- On legal affairs
- On library.
- On manufactures.
- On mercantile affairs and insurance.
- On military affairs.
- On mines and mining.
- On pensions.
- On public buildings and grounds.
- On public health.
- On railroads and expresses.
- On reference of bills.
- On salaries and fees.
- On School for Feeble Minded.
- On sea and shore fisheries.
- On State lands and forest preservation.
- On State prison.
- On State School for Boys and Industrial School for Girls.
- On taxation.
- On telegraphs and telephones.
- On temperance.
- On towns.
- On ways and bridges.

And each of said committees, except the committee on reference of bills, shall consist of three on the part of the senate, and seven on the part of the house, with leave to report by bill or otherwise. The committee on reference of bills shall consist of one on the part of the senate and two on the part of the house, with the president of the senate and speaker of the house, members *ex-officio*.

2. Joint select committees shall consist of three on the part of the senate, and seven on the part of the house, unless the order creating the same shall provide a different number.

3. Whenever a select committee shall be appointed by either house, and be joined by the other, it shall be the duty of the secretary of the senate, or the clerk of the house, as the case may be, to transmit one to the other, the names of the members so joined, in order that they may be entered upon the journal of each house.

4. In presenting a report upon any matter referred to a committee, such report shall set forth the subject referred, and the substance shall also be briefly endorsed on the back of the same.

5. Orders directing inquiry in relation to an existing statute shall state the subject matter of such statute—also the chapter and section to which the inquiry is directed.

6. The title of all bills and resolves shall state, briefly, the subject matter of the same.

7. The enacting clause of every bill shall follow its title, in these words, viz:

"Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:"

All bills and resolves reported by any joint committee shall be written in a fair, legible hand, on not less than a sheet of paper. And in all bills having more than one section, the sections shall be consecutively numbered, beginning with "Section 1."

Mistakes in bills and resolves, merely clerical, may be corrected upon suggestion without a motion to amend.

8. When a bill, resolve, or order, which shall have passed one house, is rejected in the other, notice thereof shall be given to the house in which the same shall have passed, by the secretary or clerk, as the case may be. And every bill that shall have passed both houses to be enacted, and all resolutions having the force of law, that shall have finally passed both houses, shall be presented by the secretary of the senate to the governor for his approval; and the secretary of the senate shall enter on the journal of the senate the day on which such bills or resolutions are so presented to the governor.

9. All endorsements on papers, while on their passage between the two houses, shall be under the signature of the secretary of the senate or the clerk of the house, respectively; but after the final passage of bills and resolves, they shall be signed by the presiding officer of each house.

10. Every bill or resolve reported in either house by a committee, or laid upon the table by leave, shall be printed and distributed in both

houses, before having its first reading. The printed copies shall show by what committee the bill or resolve was reported, or by what member laid upon the table.

11. It shall be the duty of the committee on reference of bills to recommend the printing of documents before reference to committees, in their discretion, suggesting the number of copies to be struck off. Whenever a document shall be printed under the joint rules governing the procedure following a favorable committee report, the number of copies shall be five hundred, unless otherwise ordered. Sufficient copies shall be delivered to the messengers of the two houses for the members and officers thereof and the balance shall be delivered to the document clerk, who shall reserve one hundred copies for the departments and for binding, twenty copies for the committee having the same under consideration, and shall be responsible for the equitable distribution of the remainder.

12. No business shall be transacted in convention of the two houses unless by unanimous consent, except such as may be agreed upon before the convention is formed.

13. Committee of conference shall consist of three members on the part of each house, representing its vote, and their report, if agreed to by a majority of each committee, shall be made to the branch asking the conference, and may be either accepted or rejected; but no other action shall be had, except through another committee of conference.

14. When any measure shall be finally rejected, it shall not be revived except by reconsideration; and no measure containing the same subject matter shall be introduced during the session unless three days' notice is given to the house of which the mover is a member.

15. Whenever a message shall be sent from the senate to the house, it shall be announced at the door by the messenger of the senate, and it shall be communicated respectfully to the chair by the bearer of it. In like manner messages from the house shall be communicated to the senate—the messenger of the house announcing them at the door of the senate.

16. No joint rule or order shall be suspended without the consent of two-thirds of the members present in each house.

17. No member shall be permitted to vote on any question in either branch of the legislature, nor in committee, whose private right, distinct from public interest, is immediately involved.

18. Every act, resolve or order appropriating money, shall be referred to the appropriate committee for consideration, and no further action shall be had thereon in either branch until the same shall have been reported back by said committee.

SENATE ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS AND DEBATES.

After the reading of the journal, the following shall be the order of business:

1st. House papers not acted on; and if accompanied by a bill or resolve, the first reading of such bill or resolve.

2d. Messages and documents from the executive and heads of departments.

3d. The reception and reference of petitions, and such other papers as require action by a committee.

4th. Orders.

5th. The first reading of bills and resolves printed under the rules.

6th. The reports of committees.

7th. Bills and resolves reported by the committee on bills in the second reading.

8th. Bills on their passage to be enacted, and resolves on their final passage.

9th. Orders of the day.

When a question is under debate no motion shall be received but,

1st. To adjourn.

2d. To reconsider.

3d. To lay on the table.

4th. To postpone to a day certain.

5th. To commit.

6th. To amend.

7th. To postpone indefinitely.

Which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they stand arranged.

Questions of concurrence or otherwise with the House shall have precedence of each other in the following order:

1st. To recede.

2d. To concur.

3d. To insist.

4th. To adhere.

A motion to adjourn shall always be first in order, and shall be decided without debate.

The name of the senator presenting petitions, memorials and remonstrances should be endorsed on the back thereof, *near the bottom*, with the name of the county which he represents.

The senator presenting an *order* should put his name thereto, on the inside at the bottom of the page, on the left, with the name of the county which he represents.

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RULES.

1. The president shall take the chair at the time to which the senate stands adjourned; but in case of his absence at such time, the secretary shall preside until a president *pro tempore* be chosen.

2. At the first session of each day, on the appearance of a quorum, the journal of the preceding day shall be read; and the president shall ascertain whether a quorum is present before such reading.

3. When the president speaks he shall address the senate; when a senator speaks he shall stand in his place and address the president.

4. The president, when he speaks to any member of the senate, and the members, when referring to each other in debate, shall use in their addresses the title of senator, and by way of distinction name the county in which he resides.

5. The president shall have the right to name a senator to perform the duties of the chair during his absence; but the substitution shall not extend beyond an adjournment.

6. The president shall rise to put a question, and shall declare all votes, but if any senator doubt the vote, all those voting in the affirmative, when called upon by the President, shall rise and stand until they are counted, and also those in the negative, in like manner, to make the vote certain.

7. The President shall consider a motion to adjourn as always first in order, and it shall be decided without debate.

8. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but—

(1) to adjourn, (2) to reconsider, (3) to lay on the table, (4) to postpone to a day certain; (5) to commit, (6) to amend, (7) to postpone indefinitely; which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they stand arranged.

Questions of concurrence or otherwise with the house shall have precedence of each other in the following order:

1st. To recede.

2d. To concur.

3d. To insist.

4th. To adhere.

A motion to adjourn shall always be first in order, and shall be decided without debate.

9. A motion shall be reduced to writing, if desired by the president or any senator, and shall then be deemed to be in possession of the senate, to be disposed of by the senate; but the mover may withdraw it at any time before a decision, or any amendment be made to it.

10. No senator shall address the senate until recognized by the president, nor more than once to the exclusion of any other senator, without leave of the senate, if objection is made, unless he be the mover of the matter under debate, and not then more than three times without leave.

11. No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted under color of amendment; nor shall an amendment proposing to ingraft a general provision of law upon a private bill be in order; nor any amendment beyond the second degree.

12. An amendment proposed may be amended before it is adopted, but not afterwards; unless the vote adopting it be first reconsidered, and no senator shall be competent to move any reconsideration unless he voted with the majority and upon the same or a succeeding day; and a motion to reconsider any vote shall not be laid upon the table unless a time shall be specially assigned for its consideration.

13. A motion to reconsider shall take precedence of all other questions except a motion to adjourn, but if made while another question is pending, it shall not be put until the other question is disposed of, but simply entered.

14. Questions of order shall be decided by the president without debate; but if an appeal is taken, the same may be debated like other questions, and the decision thereon shall be entered upon the journal.

15. A question containing two or more propositions capable of division shall be divided whenever desired by any member.

16. In filling up blanks, the largest sum and longest time shall be put first.

17. Every paper shall be once read at the table before any senator shall be obliged to vote on it, but when the reading of a paper is called for, that has been before read to the senate, if any senator object, the question shall be determined by the senate.

18. All bills and resolves in the second reading shall be committed to the committee on bills in the second reading to be by them examined, corrected, and so reported to the senate.

19. Upon a second reading of the bill or resolve, after the same shall be read through, and before the question is put on its passage, it shall be read and considered by paragraphs, at the request of any member of the Senate; and no bill or resolve shall have a second reading unless a time (not less than one hour after the first reading) be assigned therefor.

20. No bill or resolve shall pass to be engrossed without being twice read; and all bills and resolves, immediately after the same shall have been engrossed, shall be committed to the committee on engrossed bills, whose duties shall be to examine the same, and to see that the same have been truly engrossed; and before any bill shall pass to be enacted, or any resolve be finally passed, it shall be reported by the committee for the examination of engrossed bills to be truly and strictly engrossed, and the title thereof be read by the president.

21. No resolve of any kind, or order making any grant of money, lands, or other public property shall be passed without being read on two several days; the time for the second reading shall be assigned by the senate.

22. After the reading of the journal, the following shall be the order of business:

1st. House papers not acted upon; and if accompanied by a bill or resolve, the first reading of such bill or resolve.

2d. Messages and documents from the executive and heads of departments.

3d. The reception and reference of petitions and such other papers as require action by a committee.

4th. Orders.

5th. Bills and resolves printed under joint rules.

6th. Reports of committees.

7th. Bills and resolves reported by the committee on bills in the second reading.

8th. Bills on their passage to be enacted, and resolves on their final passage.

9th. Orders of the day.

It shall be the duty of the secretary to number bills and resolves in the order in which they shall be reported by said committee on bills in the second reading, and enter them upon the calendar in such order. They shall be taken up for their second reading and passage to be engrossed, or other disposition, in the order in which they stand upon the calendar. When a bill or resolve, after it is put on the calendar, is laid on the table, and no time assigned for its further consideration, it shall go to the foot of the calendar as it then stands. Papers from the house, concerning which there has been a disagreeing vote of the two houses, shall be disposed of before commencing with the calendar. This rule shall not apply to or interfere with motions to reconsider or special assignments or other privileged questions.

23. When the yeas and nays are taken, the names of the senators shall be called alphabetically.

24. After a question is put to vote, no senator shall speak on it. Every senator who may be present shall vote unless excused by the senate, or excluded by interest.

25. The unfinished business, in which the senate was engaged at the time of the last adjournment, shall have precedence in the orders of the day.

26. No engrossed bill or resolve shall be sent to the house without notice thereof being given to the senate by the president.

27. Every member who shall present a petition shall place his name thereon and a brief statement of its subject.

28. All confidential communications made by the governor to the senate, shall be by the members thereof kept inviolably sacred until the senate shall by their resolution take off the injunction of secrecy.

29. No rule shall be dispensed with, except by the consent of two-thirds of the members present.

30. Any member of the senate may exchange seats on consulting the president and obtaining his permission.

31. No member shall absent himself from the senate without leave, unless there be a quorum left present.

32. All committees shall be nominated by the president (unless when it may be determined that the election shall be by ballot), and appointed by the senate.

33. The following standing committees shall be appointed at the commencement of the session, viz:

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE SENATE.

On bills in second reading.

On engrossed bills.

To consist of twelve members each. Any one of the first and any two of the second shall constitute a quorum.

34. No member of the Senate shall act as counsel for any party before any committee of the legislature.

35. All messages from the senate to the house, and to the governor, or governor and council, shall be carried by the secretary, unless the senate shall direct some other mode of transmission, and all papers shall be transmitted to the governor and council and the house by the secretary or his assistant.

36. The senate may at any time, upon motion, by a vote of a majority of the members present, resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the purpose of considering any subject named in the motion; and a chairman shall be appointed by the president. If a message is announced while the senate is in such committee, the president shall resume the chair for the purpose of receiving it; immediately after which the committee shall proceed, until dissolved in the usual manner.

37. The rules of parliamentary practice comprised in Reed's Rules, and Cushing's Law and Practice of Legislative Assemblies, shall govern the senate in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the standing rules of the senate, or of the joint rules of the two houses.

MEMORANDA.

1. Orders, motions in writing, and reports of committees, should never be presented on less than a half sheet of paper.
2. When a *report* of a committee is made to either house it should be accompanied by the *order* or other paper appointing said committee to consider the subject.
3. Petitions, memorials and remonstrances from towns in their *corporate capacity*, should be endorsed thus, "*Petition of town of —————*" [stating concisely the subject matter thereof.]
4. Petitions, memorials and remonstrances from individuals should be endorsed thus, "*Petition of ————— and others of the town of —————*," [stating concisely the subject matter thereof.]
5. Petitions, memorials and remonstrances, from corporations should be endorsed thus, "*Petition of ————*," [naming the corporation and stating concisely the subject matter thereof.]
6. The name of the member presenting petitions, memorials and remonstrances, should be endorsed on the back thereof, *near the bottom*, with the county, (in senate) and town (in house) in which he resides.
7. The member presenting an *order* should put his name thereto on the inside, at the bottom of the page, on the left, with the county (in senate) and town (in house) in which he resides.
8. Petitions, memorials and remonstrances, on which *leave to withdraw* was ordered by a former legislature, cannot be recalled from the files, with a view of being again referred. The *original*, however, may be taken from the files, and the subject presented *de novo*.
9. Bills and resolves *refused a passage, rejected or postponed indefinitely* by a former legislature, cannot be called from the files with

10. The heading or caption of *bills* should be as follows:

STATE OF MAINE.

In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and——

An Act——

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

11. The caption of *resolves*, as follows:

STATE OF MAINE.

[*Omitting* the year required in bills.]

Resolve——

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STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, ——, 191 .

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